

SPARKS

"Forge thy tongue on an anvil of truth, and what flies up, though it be but a spark, shall have weight." --Pindar

By Burnis K. Lawrence
Publisher

THE NEW YEAR

... arrives on the scene come Monday and brings with it terrific opportunities for growth and improvement in our city, if we can (the better word would be will) meet the challenges that accompany these opportunities.

Decisions made in the past should reach fruition in 1973 and assure Hondo of two new industries, the Flight Screening Program to be operated by the U. S. Air Force's Air Training Command, and the U. S. Bonded Padding Co. (Yes, I am still optimistic about this company building its plant and getting into operation in 1973.).

To show increase

Latest information from Air Force officials indicate a substantial increase in both aircraft and personnel as listed when the Flying program was announced. Figures have jumped to 80 aircraft and 109 personnel as compared to the initial 55 and 70, respectively. (See separate story on this program in this week's paper.)

And the carpet padding company will employ some 110 persons when it gets into full swing, probably near the latter part of the year.

When the two get going, they will combine for 219 additional salaries being paid in Hondo. A conservative estimate of \$500 per month average salary means some \$109,500 per month, or an annual \$1,314,000 payroll. However, the economical boost to our area will be much greater with the local purchases by the two adding to the impact.

At this point, two logical questions arise. Will all these people live in Hondo and its immediate area? Of course, we hope that many local persons who need employment will be on these payrolls and this would actually reduce the number of new people coming in. Will they spend all their money here?

Obviously, the answer to both questions is no. Not even under ideal conditions, and Hondo cannot offer ideal conditions at this time.

Housing need great

Housing throws the greatest challenge to Hondo officials and planners. Can we provide the housing needed to keep the majority of these workers as local residents? If not, can area cities, Devine, Castroville, D'Hanis take up the slack and keep this money here to build Medina County?

I believe we can with good planning and extra efforts. We have local private builders who have worked hard and invested great amounts of money to bring housing to Hondo. There's no reason to believe they won't rise to the occasion in 1973.

But Hondo also needs low rent housing, in addition to the present 235 programs. These are needed in both single dwelling units and apartments. Projects are planned along these lines by the Housing Authority of the City of Hondo and others. However, a freeze on all Housing and Urban Development funds place these projects in doubt for sometime to come.

Mobile homes possible

Another avenue available is mobile home space. Winters Trailer Park, which incidentally is owned by the City of Hondo and leased by Richard Winters on a per space fee basis, is full. Franklin Wiemers' park on 30th Street is full. Therefore, rental space is at a premium.

John Poerner is developing a park east of town on the Bandera highway. These are complete spaces for sale

and undoubtedly they will sell. But this does not eliminate the need for rental space.

Clyde Jackson might take a big step to correct this situation. For a long time he has had in mind building a mobile home park on his property east of Avenue Z and north of 14th Street. He has indicated that 1973 will be the year he will build.

Combined, all of these should provide for most of the housing needs brought about if these two industries reach their full potential in personnel.

Other challenges present

What about other challenges? Will our schools be affected? Will city utilities and facilities be overtaxed by the extra demands? Will our recreational facilities be adequate? What about our business establishments and their services?

The schools apparently can handle the extra students with no sweat, thanks to past planning.

City utilities, especially the city electric system and the sewage treatment facility, are areas where specific thought and planning will be required to meet the extra demands.

Recreation space vital

Recreation areas are at the present totally inadequate and any influx of people will only increase that inadequacy.

We have a fine city park for its size. But who can utilize it when it is either completely occupied by one function or padlocked. Any one group, large or small, can tie the park up for an entire day even though they use only a small portion.

It needs to be expanded--not only for future development, but now to meet the needs of our present residents.

City fathers have a wonderful opportunity to accomplish this right now with a part of the Revenue Sharing money the city has received. They can expand the area, and build extra barbecue pits and picnic tables so that several groups can be accommodated at the same time.

They can convert the ugly gravel pit into an object of beauty--either a grass-banked fishing pond as suggested by Councilman G. P. Chapman or a sunken garden as suggested by Mrs. Chuck Hackebell.

They could build a nice pavilion that would house a gathering up to 1,000 persons.

In addition to the City Park they could add a little more money and put the proposed playground park along West 18th Street into fine shape and make a lot of children happy.

All of these efforts and outlays of cash would bring continuing benefits to our city. First and foremost, it would give our people a place to go with family for a picnic or a quiet outing or put children out in the open for good exercise and fresh air.

But it also would make Hondo a focal point for summer reunions or other gatherings that would bring out-of-town people to the city where they would spend money. Organizations such as Farm Bureau, Range Management sections, and others could bring large meetings to Hondo.

In other recreational areas, we have a nice swimming pool. In the summer it usually is packed wall to wall with children, but probably could wet down a few more bodies.

Our Hondo Golf Course is something we can point to with pride. Although only nine holes, the course is an excellent one and draws much traffic from San Antonio and other Please turn to Page 2



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Increase told for Flight Screening program of ATC

Looming brighter on Hondo's economic picture as time goes by, the Flight Screening Program planned here by the Air Training Command has gained an additional input which will

bring on an increase in both aircraft and personnel required to do the job.

Air Force officials from Randolph, while in Hondo working out final details on leasing the Airbase property,

told Mayor George Brucks and City Councilmen of the change in plans.

"We have a flight training program for South Vietnamese pilots at Stinson Field in San Antonio," a spokesman said,

"We now plan to move that program to Hondo and place all of this training under one contract."

This change should increase the number of T-41 aircraft needed in Hondo to about 80, while the number of personnel will jump to 109. This number includes instructors and maintenance personnel plus some 11 or 12 Air Force personnel that will be assigned to the Hondo project. Initial figures on the Hondo program called for 55 aircraft and 70 personnel.

Changes have been made also in the building requirements for the program. Initially, plans called for two hangers containing some 12,000 square feet of space each. Officials now say there will be only one building containing approximately 24,000 square feet of space.

Negotiations are underway at the present between the Air Force and Art Stewart of Gary Aircraft for that company to construct the hanger. The building will include maintenance space in the center and office and classroom space on either side in a lean-to effect. Offices and classrooms will be air conditioned and heated.

Target date for actual flying is June 1973 but an ATC spokesman said he wouldn't be surprised if operations begin around the first of May.

Both the flying and main-

tenance will be under one civilian contractor, and a pre-bid conference is scheduled in Hondo on January 4. ATC officials say the contractor will be named by March 1.

The Hondo Flight Screening program is a consolidation of a program that has been carried on for years at nine ATC bases in Texas, Arizona, Oklahoma, Alabama and Georgia.

Its purpose is to screen potential pilots for their suitability to flying prior to sending them into the extremely expensive jet training program. This T-41 program helps cut down on the number of washouts in the undergraduate pilot training program.

"Attritions in the jet program cost the Air Force millions of dollars annually," a spokesman said. "This flight screening program helps decrease that cost."

The program also will save money through consolidation and central management. This saving alone is estimated at approximately \$2,500,000 per year, officials point out. Consolidation means fewer aircraft and personnel are needed than under the present arrangement.

The economical benefit to the Hondo area is expected to be extensive. It is estimated that salaries of the 109 personnel will average \$500 per month. This means a monthly payroll of \$54,500 or an annual salary total of \$654,000.

Total operational cost, including salaries, will exceed \$1,000,000, with much of the non-salary spending going for utilities, runway maintenance, oil and gas and other items. Much of this will be spent locally.

Trainees in this program will be stationed in Lackland AFB in San Antonio where they are students in the School of Military Science, Officers. They will be bused to Hondo for flying, with buses operating on a two hour schedule. With the exception of the Vietnamese students, each student will receive 14 hours of flying time. Vietnamese receive more time per student.

Phasing in of the T-41 program will not affect the present use of the Hondo Airbase by Randolph jet trainers for practice navigational landings. Both programs will operate simultaneously, which means the present GCA site personnel, numbering 12

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A total of 150 years

Twenty-five years is a long time to even live in one place; but that long working for the same firm in the same town is something to be proud of. And these six men at Universal-Rundle are certainly proud of the fact they have been with the Hondo plant for 25 years. They recently

were presented by General Manager Wally Porter gifts at a special ceremony. Left to right they are: Hilmer Boehle, Augustin Gonzales, Ignacio Castillo, Duvigen Miranda, Atllino Rodriguez and Florencio Monreal.

Workshop will give details on Revenue Sharing fund use

Hondo City Councilmen on January 5 can hear how the government feels they can use the more than \$25,000 they received this month as a portion of City's Revenue Sharing funds.

The guidelines they hear at a workshop in Uvalde might even be good enough to carry over to the second \$25,000 the government said they will receive after the first of the year. Both checks are supposedly for 1972.

This workshop will be sponsored in the Uvalde Civic Center by the Texas Department of Community Affairs as one of series of regional workshops.

B. R. Fuller, acting director of the department, told a news conference last week in Austin: "The state isn't going to tell the local governments how to spend their money. The revenue sharing funds are a tremendous opportunity for local governments to draw on their own imagination."

An outline to be given at the January 5 workshop showing federal limits "are that local government can use the money for capital improvements."

But in addition, they may use the funds for maintenance and operating expenses: for public safety (including law enforcement, fire protection and building code enforcement), environmental protection (including sewage disposal, sanitation and pollution abatement), public transportation (including transit systems and streets and roads), health, recreation, libraries, social services for the poor or aged and financial administration.

A promise of a minimum of red tape on this program came from Roy T. Englert, deputy general counsel for

the U.S. Treasury Department. "How well this program works in meeting local needs is up to you," he told those attending the Austin meeting. However, the federal government will require local governments to keep books on the revenue sharing money. These books will be comprehensive enough so that it can be determined how each dollar was spent.

Locally, Hondo City Council has not decided how the money will be spent, but has deposited the money in a separate account until that decision is made.

County Commissioners Court on January 8 will hear a proposed budget on the \$101,000 received by the county. They too have directed the money be deposited in a new account.

Although there won't be any specific "this is how you should spend your money" requirements, there are many experts who are recommending that local governments use the money for capital improvements.

The reason is that Congress has passed the measure for only three years, and because it is partially retroactive, the money will come to the local governments within about a two-year period.

Experts say governments should not get used to that much extra money for maintenance and operation, for after the time has expired, they won't have it.

Local governments not only will be required to keep books, but must also publish in the newspaper a detailed report on how the money is spent thus assuring the public a complete picture.

when an eastbound freight train and an automobile collided at the Avenue Y crossing killing one young man and injuring two others.

LIVESTOCK SHOW NOT AFFECTED BY RECENT SWINE QUARANTINE: A new quarantine on all swine in Medina County will not affect swine going to the Medina County Junior Livestock Show

Feb. 7-8, according to Glenn Bragg, Medina County Agent, THREE HATS IN RING FOR SHERIFF: In the political ring for County Sheriff Alvin Santleben joined incumbent Charles Hitzfelder and Joseph Pitre in the race, FEBRUARY

DEVINE GETS GRANT FOR CITY-COUNTY BUILDING: Please turn to Page 3

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Death count reaches high total, caution is stressed

Predictions that 87 persons would die in traffic crashes over the Christmas and New Year holidays is almost halfway toward coming true. Forty-two traffic deaths in Texas over the Christmas holidays made it so.

State officials, Department of Public Safety, National Guard and local law enforcement officers are doing all they can to help save our lives. But somehow we just don't give a hang if we get killed or not--it seems.

There's nothing much anyone can add to what already has been said about not becoming a statistic. But a short item sent me by Mrs. Edna (Sis) McDade recently gives the same old words a new twist. We hope you will read it closely and follow what it says during these dangerous New Year's Day holidays.

10 Little Drivers

10 Little Drivers, cruising down the line; one had a heavy foot and then there were nine. (Speed limits are set for your safety.)

9 Little Drivers, the hour was getting late; one dozed a moment, and then there were eight. (A tired driver is a dangerous one.)

8 Little Drivers, and the evening seemed like heaven; one showed his driving skill, and then there were seven. (Drive sensibly and safely at all times. A car is no place for a clown.)

7 Little Drivers, their lives were full of kicks; one bought a bottle and then there were six. (Gasoline and alcohol are a deadly mix: Don't drink when you drive.)

6 Little Drivers, impatient to arrive; one jumped a traffic light, and then there were five. (Don't gamble years of your life to save a few seconds.)

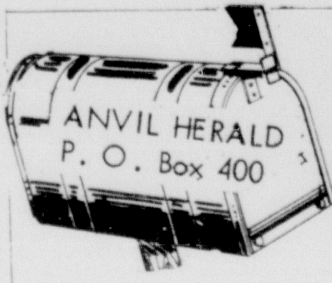
5 Little Drivers, wheeling near the shore; one viewed the scenery, and then there were four. (Careful driving demands alertness at all times.)

4 Little Drivers, happy as could be; one passed upon a hill and then there were three. (Never pass another car when your vision is obscured.)

3 Little Drivers, busy, it is true; one neglected car repairs, and then there were two. (For safety's sake, keep your car in top condition.)

2 Little Drivers, and the day was nearly done; one didn't dim his lights, and then there was one. (Slow down for dusk or darkness; adjust your driving to existing conditions.)

Yes, 1 Little Driver who's still alive today; by following the safety rules, he hopes to stay that way. ■
—The Grapevine



Letters from the mailbox

Chamber of Commerce:
Please send me several cards of the sign: "This is God's Country, Don't Drive Through It Like Hell."
Thanks,
Sincerely,
Roy A. Harrison
Rogersville, Ala.

Chamber of Commerce:
Thank you for your membership in the Texas Tourist Council for the Calendar year 1973.

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Again, thanks for your support. Enclosed is your 1973 membership sticker. Contact us on any matter at any time pertaining to tourism.

Sincerely,
Don Epperson
Executive Director



VOE Officers elected

Officers of the Hondo Chapter of the Office Education Association for the

1972-73 school year have been elected. They are left to right: A-malia Aguilar, sergeant-at-arms; Estella Leyva, treasurer; Jacque Fitzpatrick, secretary; Evelia Santos, vice-president; Vangie Carmo-na, historian; Robert Blackshear, reporter; Hector Galvan (seated), president; and Denise Wiemers, parliamentarian (not shown).

Hondo Mason named to office

At the meeting of the 197th communication of the Grand Lodge of Master Masons in Waco, Bruno Schweers of Hondo was appointed District Deputy Grand Master of

the 59rd Masonic District.

Schweers's 59rd district is composed of five lodges and approximately 1,000 Master Masons.

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areas around Hondo. It can handle an increase in golfers easily.

I am sure that Bob Thompson at Bob's Bowling Lanes would welcome more bowlers, whether they be present residents or newcomers.

Business faces challenge
Businessmen definitely will be challenged this coming year. Will they meet the extra demand? Will they plan projects, individually and collectively, to induce these new people as well as present residents to prefer to do their shopping in Hondo? Will they join together to make Hondo an "attractive rural shopping center" that will bring people into town rather than run them off? Will they combine their efforts, their creative thinking, their money to beautify the town in such a manner that it can become a showplace

EDGAR STIEGLER

. . . has joined the Hondo Chamber of Commerce and makes the 216th member to do so to date. This is great! And I believe there will be others getting on the band wagon before the sun sets many times in the new year.

TROUBLE

. . . is something we all think we have a lot of. But Franklin Wiemers says Arnold Beck of Rio Medina once told him: "You don't know what trouble is. When a man has a wife, a windmill and a washing ma-

HARDY SOULS

. . . who wish to join in the facial growth contests for Museum Celebration Day on May 5 can begin their entry Monday morning by not shaving that particular part.

Three divisions call for mustache, full beard, or a Van Dyke type kinda like Rocky Sedgwick.

Let's go now, and work up that

THROUGHOUT 1973

. . . we at the Anvil Herald, on behalf of the boss Bill Berger, hope that all your troubles will be small ones. May your headaches never reach Excedrin proportions and may your faith be so strong that you can perform the wonders of a mustard seed.

Thank you sincerely for your co-

that will attract people from far and near?

They can if they so desire. And they must if Hondo is to continue to compete for that retail dollar being spent by a more demanding, more selective public.

Yes, 1973 extends great opportunities. But to reap the benefits of these we must meet and overcome the challenges which are always the price of achievements.

Can we? The answer is an absolute affirmative.

Will we? The answer is shrouded in the desire and the will of the people. Is the desire strong enough? Are we willing to think big, work hard, spend money, and expend the necessary time and energy to make dreams come true?

The next 12 months will tell.

Right now, the new officers and directors are busy lining up chairmen to head several committees expected to be extremely active during 1973. They will be announced January 8 at the initial Board meeting of 1973.

chine, then he's got troubles."

And when you stop to consider if one's talking, one's turning and one's agitating all at the same time, then he just might be right.

spirit. I'll try all I can, but it will be quite a while before anyone can recognize my effort. Like the other day I had missed only day shaving and Gene Harrison comes up and asks me "Have you started on Museum Day already with that two weeks growth?"

operation, your indulgence, your patience and your patronage during 1972 and may we be able to serve you more efficiently, more graciously and more profitably (for all of us) in 1973.

God Bless you and yours throughout the months to come.

Lt. Dodson finishes training

FT. EUSTIS, VA., --Army Second Lieutenant Frank A. Dodson, Jr., whose parents live in Devine, recently completed a nine-week transportation officer basic course

at the U. S. Army Transportation School, Ft. Eustis, Va.

During the course, he was trained in a variety of military subjects and given a basic knowledge of the structure of transportation corps units and operations.

The 24-year-old Lieutenant received his bachelor of science and his master of science degrees in 1971 and 1972, respectively from Texas A&I University at Kingsville.

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JANUARY SAVINGS CALENDAR

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
BE A DEFENSIVE DRIVER	1 Happy New Year	2 Ladies Day Golf Boy Scouts Dev Cham Directors Library Board Tx Employ Comm 1st yr Bluebird 1st yr Camp Fire 2nd yr Camp Fire Camp Fire Board Owls vs Medina Val-T	3 Ask about the method that would be best for you.	4	5 Devine Sr. Home Demo Coast Guard Recruiter, Cham 1-4 Owls vs Carrizo-H We will be pleased to discuss New Home Loans with you at any time.	6 Savings grow faster than you think—at Medina Savings Association
7 SUNDAY	8 Museum Board D Hanis Lions Soc Sec—Chamber FFA Meeting Commissioners Court Dunlay 4H Club Sigma Tau	9 Ladies Day Luncheon Boy Scouts City Council Meeting Iota Epsilon Hondo Home Demo Devine Lions Rio Medina 4H Tx Employ Comm 1st yr Bluebird 1st yr Camp Fire 2nd yr Camp Fire	10 Hondo Lions DPS Lic—Chamber Hondo Rodeo Assn MV Women's Club Buz Women's Luncheon 4H Jr Rifle Club Drive in window offers convenience at Medina Savings	11 Hondo Firemen Meet 2nd yr Bluebird 3rd yr Camp Fire Rehabilitation 8-9 Court House 9-10 Chamber 4H Sr Rifle Club	12 Garden Club Coast Guard Recruiter, Cham 1-4 Owls vs Devine-T We will be pleased to discuss New Home Loans with you at any time.	13 You'll be surprised how fast your account will grow if you save part of each pay check.
14 Attend Church	15 Soc Sec—Chamber D Hanis 4H Club N Hondo 4H Club Savings grow faster than you think—at Medina Savings Association	16 Ladies Day Golf Boy Scouts Young Farmers Young Homemakers Tx Employ Comm 1st yr Bluebird 1st yr Camp Fire 2nd yr Campfire Natalia 4H Club Owls vs Pearsall-H	17 Hondo Lions DPS Lic—Chamber ASCS Committee 4H Jr Rifle Club Savings grow faster than you think—at Medina Savings Association	18 Hondo Firemen Meet Natalia Home Demo 2nd yr Bluebird 3rd yr Camp Fire Rehabilitation 8-9 Court House 9-10 Chamber 4H Sr Rifle Club	19 Does the future education of your child depend on your savings today? Coast Guard Recruiter, Cham 1-4 Owls vs Dilley-T	20 Pro-Am Tournament, 1 pm We will be pleased to discuss New Home Loans with you at any time.
21 Attend Church	22 Soc Sec—Chamber MCAEC Devine 4H Club D Hanis Lions S Hondo 4H Club Unit 2	23 Ladies Day Golf Boy Scouts Devine Lions Castroville 4H Club Tx Employ Commission 1st yr Bluebird 1st yr Camp Fire 2nd yr Camp Fire Owls vs Cotulla-T	24 Hondo Lions DPS Lic—Chamber 4H Jr Rifle Club Money deposited by the 10th earns from the 1st.	25 Hondo Firemen Meet XYZ Club Devine Jr Home Demo 2nd yr Bluebird 3rd yr Camp Fire Rehabilitation 8-9 Court House 9-10 Chamber 4H Sr Rifle Club	26 Coast Guard Recruiter Chamber 1-4 Owls vs M.V.-H You'll be surprised how fast your account will grow if you save part of each pay check.	27 DRIVE FRIENDLY
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Look back reveals eventful 1972

Approval of a grant from the Economic Development Administration has assured the success of a project which has required much effort of county officials and officials of the City of Devine. A telegram from U. S. Senator John Tower announced the approval of a \$60,800 grant from EDA for a county-city building in Devine. AUCTION SALES SET RECORD: Premium sales set a new record in the show with auction bringing a total of \$36,351.06. This compares to the \$36,078.29 brought in at auction last year. LOW-RENT HOUSING, RE-HAB PROGRAMS SAID NECESSARY: Housing problems in Medina County crawled a few thousand words nearer fruition Tuesday night; but they have a mountain more to climb before the solution achieves reality. FFA WEEK PROCLAIMED BY MAYOR GEORGE L. BRUCKS: Proclamation of FFA Week in Hondo by Mayor George Brucks this week officially cleared the way for members of the Hondo FFA Chapter to join more than 430,000 Future Farmers of America in celebrating the National FFA observance. MARCH

CONSTRUCTION PICTURE GIVES 1972 BRIGHT OUTLOOK: If building permits in Hondo would continue the pace set in January and February, 1972 would be a big year for construction. The two months total reached \$203,512, with residential building accounting for most of the figure. ABSENTEE VOTING GRABS SPOTLIGHT: The filing is over, the candidates have announced, the races are drawn, the talking has begun and now it's all over but the voting to determine who will be elected to the City Council and the School Board. GARY TELLS EXPANSION PLANS HERE: A. W. Stewart, president and owner of Gary Aircraft Corp., announced at the Hondo City Council meeting March 14, that the company plans to make substantial additional investments in facilities and equipment at the Hondo Municipal Airport. NELSON HIPPERT DIES WEDNESDAY: Nelson Bippert, 34, a native of Medina County and head football coach at Hondo High School for the past 3 years, passed away early Wednesday morning, March 15, in Medina Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness. HOUSING AUTHORITY WILL BE APPOINTED: Mayor George L. Brucks announced Tuesday night at the AACOG Committee meeting that at the next City Council meeting he will appoint a five-member housing authority and charge the members to begin working on getting a low-rent housing program in Hondo. CITY, SCHOOL ELECTIONS BECKON VOTERS ON SATURDAY: If absentee balloting is any indication of voter turnout, then the voting boxes will be crowded with those wishing to cast ballots on Saturday, April 1.

APRIL

VOTERS TURN OUT IN RECORD NUMBER: A total of 1857 voters spoke in the school election while some 1770 voted in the city election. Voters returned Hilmer Mueller to Place 4 on the Council and G. E. Pete Pedraza to Place 5, Richard (Bud) Gwartzey was elected to Place 3. In the school voting Henry Dominguez won in Place 1, incumbent Glen McWilliams was re-elected to Place 2. RAILWAY SAFETY TAKES SPOTLIGHT: Railway crossings were the main topic of conversation at the Tuesday night City Council meeting. Persuasive arguments by B. M. Flohr, superintendent for the Southern Pacific Transportation Co., convinced the Council that the company is now sincere in its efforts to help the safety situation in Hondo. CHANCES OF OBTAINING HELP FROM GOVERNMENT ARE DIM: News stories over the wire services say that a cloud-seeding program is being carried out in Oklahoma at the present time. Medina County, the City of Hondo and the Hondo Chamber of Commerce last week sought help from Congressman Abraham "Chick" Kazen in initiating such a program. MIGRANT TRAINING PROGRAM PLANNED: Plans for a Regional Migrant Manpower project that would provide training for job skills to migrants in Medina and Frio Counties were outlined at the last Medina County AACOG Committee meeting.

MAY

PADDING FACTORY ON GREEN: "It looks good right now," That's how Gerald Alexander, manager, described the status of the U. S. Bonded Padding Co. which was announced for Hondo months ago, and now has temporary offices in the Medina Savings Association Building. HITZFEIDER WINS WITHOUT RUNOFF: BRISCOE FAVORED: Having their say in local, state and national government, approximately 5,451 Medina County residents went to the Democratic Primary polls Saturday and cast a record number of ballots. Locally, they put Sheriff Hitzfeider back into office without a run-off. PROJECTS OUTLINED FOR AREAS: If favorable comments from agency representatives can be turned into dollars, 3 Medina County communities are in line for some help on projects vitally important to them. On a tour the group looked at Natalia's need for a sewer plant, Castroville's proposed park project, and Hondo's need for a storm sewer project and its industrial site. PLANS SET FOR READING PROGRAM: Plans are being finalized to conduct a reading improvement program in McDowell Middle School. Classes will be held each morning, 8-12, during June and July. JUNE

BRISCOE WINS: Medina

County voters returned to the polls Saturday, June 3, to defy statewide trends in two of the five state and district races. Total votes cast numbered 3895. Briscoe polled 2929 votes in Medina County to Frances (Sissy) Farenthold's 940. COMMISSIONERS VOTE JAIL REPAIRS: The regular June term of the Medina County Commissioners Court met on June 12 with County Judge Jerome Decker presiding. At the request of Sheriff Hitzfeider, the Court voted to have alterations made in the County Jail. AACOG GIVEN GRANT: Alamo Area Council of Governments and Bexar County and the City of San Antonio were among 26 regional and metropolitan area planning councils awarded criminal justice planning grants for fiscal 1973 by Governor Preston Smith. Amounts were \$46,800 for AACOG and \$30,007 for Bexar County and San Antonio. NEW BUSINESS IN DEVINE: Another new business has expanded their service into Devine. The firm operates under the name of C&C Water Conditioning Co. JULY

GRAIN CROP TOTAL TO HIT \$3.2 MILLION: It's going to be a good year for maize and corn, reports County Agent Glenn Bragg. The combination of heavy yield, fair prices, and good weather could cause the Medina County production to top \$3.2 million. VERBAL FIREWORKS ERUPT AT CITY COUNCIL MEET: Verbal fireworks erupted at the Tuesday night Council meeting when a group of Mexican-Americans residents appeared before the Council to demand the firing of City Patrolman Pete Pruneda. The request was denied by the Council. FINANCIAL SEMINAR PLANNED MONDAY, TUESDAY IN HONDO: An Agricultural Finance Seminar will be held July 24 and 25 in the Audio Visual Room, Hondo High School, 8 p.m. each night. The program was planned by the Medina County Program Building Committee and it is co-sponsored by the Hondo Chamber of Commerce, Harry Filleman, and the County Extension Service. COUNTY, AREA IN CONSERVATION FUNDING STUDY: Medina County is one of 10 counties in this area being studied for inclusion in a funding application to permit resource conservation and development along lines established by Congress. AUGUST

STORM CAUSES EXTENSIVE DAMAGE: A severe thunderstorm, which packed high, tornado-type winds and jawbreaker size hailstones Monday, caused extensive damage to crops and buildings in an area from Lytle to near Castroville. GRAIN, CORN GIVE COUNTY FARMERS

BUMPER '72 CROPS: The weatherman has been kind to Medina County in the past several weeks, but corn growers might just forgive him if he fails to bring more rain at this time, so that they might harvest an estimated \$2,446,200 crops. Added to an estimated \$4,110,000 grain sorghum crop this summer, this means about a \$6,556,200 gross income for county grain and corn growers. BLACK INK LOOKS BETTER THAN RED DYE: Black ink replaced red at the end of business May 31, 1972 when Medina Memorial Hospital showed a net income of \$7,621 for the past fiscal year as compared to a loss of \$4,805 in 1971. FLIGHT SCREENING PROGRAM MIGHT PUT AIRBASE IN ACTION: Unofficially sources say that Hondo Airbase will be the site of a civilian contractor flying activity supervised by the Air Training Command at Randolph AFB. AACOG STUDIES DIPLOMAS: Officials of San Antonio were present at the council meeting to outline a proposed high school equivalency program for Hondo adults which would take persons who dropped out or did not finish school after having completed the eighth grade. LIONS WILL CROWN MISS HONDO 1972: Miss Hondo 1971, Janelle Been, will place the crown of honor on the new Miss Hondo at the end of colorful ceremonies Saturday night, August 26, at McDowell School Cafeteria, sponsored by Hondo Lions Club. AF PROGRAM IS OFFICIAL: The official word is out, Hondo Airbase will be the site for the Air Force's consolidated T-41 flight screening program which will be an approximately \$1,000,000 annual project over a three to five year period. This program is expected to begin in June 1973. MISS HONDO: Diane Lively, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Lively, was named Miss Hondo 1972 at the Lions Club sponsored event. SEPTEMBER

SCREW WORM PROBLEM CRITICAL, SAYS BRAGG: The Southwest Animal Health Research Foundation met in San Antonio August 26 to discuss the screw worm situation and the trustees approved a resolution urging livestock and agricultural organizations to take immediate action to eradicate the screw worm. SALARY INCREASES HIGHLIGHT COUNTY BUDGET FIGURES: Salary increases averaging 11.3 percent have been voted for Medina County officials and workers in 1973, accounting for most of the \$40,250.76 increase in the 1973 budget. PADDING COMPANY SETS EARLY 1973 AS PRODUCTION TIME: Can the U. S. Bonded Padding Company be in production by early 1973? "It's highly possible," says Louis Terraza of San Antonio, one

of the principals involved in getting the Hondo-based firm in operation. Gerald Alexander of Dallas, who moved to Hondo, is president of the company. G. E. D. PROGRAM SET FOR HONDO RESIDENTS: Plans for an adult GED (General Educational Development) program have been finalized in Hondo and classes are scheduled to begin on October 16 or 17. PROTECTED RAILWAY CROSSINGS GET ATTENTION: Protected railroad crossings in Hondo are gaining attention and action may be forthcoming in the near future. SPokesman J. Myers told Hondo City Council members on Sept. 13 that some preparatory work will be done on Avenue M early in October and that approval has been given to a gate and lights on Castro Avenue leading to the Airbase. GOLD STAR GIRL, BOY NAMED: Donna Boehme of Rio Medina was named Gold Star Girl and Vince Gilliam of Hondo was named Gold Star Boy at the annual Medina County 4-H Awards Banquet held Saturday night, Sept. 23, at Koenig Park in Castroville.

OCTOBER

REVENUE TO BENEFIT COUNTY, CITY: If and when it is passed by Congress Revenue Sharing will definitely provide an economic boon to Medina County and the cities within the county, but no one knows the exact impact it will have. Medina County will receive \$217,500 for use by the Commissioners Court as it deems necessary. Hondo will receive \$16,500, while Devine is slated to get \$16,000. BOBBY MUMME PLANS TRIP TO KANSAS CITY: Bobby Mumme of Hondo will be in Kansas City to receive the highest degree awarded by Future Farmers of America--the American Farmer Degree. ARRESTS UNCOVER LOTS OF LOOT TAKEN IN AREA BURGALARIES: Four San Antonio young people have been arrested and charged with the burglaries of seven residences in Medina County last August. Bond for the four has been set at \$6,000 per person per burglary. The group is also wanted for the burglary of residences in Real, Bandera, Wilson and Guadalupe Counties. ABSENTEE BALLOTS READY AT COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE: Voting by absentee ballot began yesterday, October 18, for the general election to be held on November 7. BIDS

ARE CALLED ON COMPANY PLANT: Erection of the U. S. Bonded Padding Company manufacturing plant came one step nearer reality with the calling of construction bids. OVER 9,000 VOTERS LISTED: Tax Assessor-Collector Alfred Rohrbach announces that the total of registered voters in Medina

County for the November 7 general election stands at 9,173. NOVEMBER

ELECTION INTEREST EXPECTED TO ATTRACT RECORD TURNOUT: Fever-pitched interest in the races for President, U. S. Senator and State Governor could well send more Medina County voters to the polls November 7 than have ever voted in the history of the county. PARKER CREEK RESERVOIR GETS GREEN LIGHT: After a couple of disappointments, the Edwards Underground Water District finally is on its way toward constructing a 200-acre-foot capacity reservoir on Parker Creek, located on the Gilliam Ranch, known as Site 11 and is being built for the distinct purpose of recharging the Edwards Underground Reservoir. MEDINA VOTERS FAVOR NIXON, TOWER, BRISCOE: Although it wasn't a good day for fishing, a majority of Medina County residents who registered to vote must have done so, because less than 50 percent of the 9,173 of those registered went to the polls. Those who did cast ballots joined the winners circle in favoring Richard Nixon, Dolph Briscoe, John Tower and Jesse James. PADDING FACTORY BID IS \$1,165,000: Bids were opened Tuesday in San Antonio for construction of the proposed U. S. Bonded Padding Company in Hondo with Villareal Construction Company of San Antonio the apparent low bidder of \$1,165,000, which includes the building and equipment. BAND STUDENTS TO HIT HONDO FOR BIG CONTEST: Band uniforms will be more frequent than sports before the eyes of local residents Saturday (Nov. 18) when approximately 1,642 band students will invade Hondo to compete in the annual Region XI Marching Contest. OWL BAND TAKES 'ONE' IN MARCHING CONTEST: The Hondo Owl Band, directed by Billy A. Harrell, received its third consecutive first division rating in marching at the Region XI, U. S. L. Marching Contest held here in Hondo. FIELD SURVEY SLATED FOR CREEK FLOODING: Action on the problem of flood prevention in Hondo will take another step forward Dec. 4, 5 and 6 when a team from the Soil Conservation Service will make a field examination on Ball Waterhole Creek. Examination on the creek, which was responsible for the flooding of some 93 homes in Hondo, during the 1971 flood, will study the feasibility of such a project and the work necessary to prevent flooding. ANNUAL C of C BANQUET HOLDS FORTH MONDAY: The annual Hondo Chamber of Commerce Banquet will hold forth Monday night, Dec. 4, at McDowell School Cafeteria with President Newell (Bud) Wools presiding. Principal speaker for the Monday night banquet will be Dr. Arleigh Templeton, President of the University

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of Texas at San Antonio. DECEMBER

More about

ATC Flight Program

men, will continue to be stationed in Hondo.

Students in the T-41 aircraft will perform their practice landings at the Castroville Airport, thus utilizing the Hondo runways only for their initial takeoff and final landing.

The new program did eliminate the use of the Airbase by the 433rd Tactical Airlift Wing for cargo and personnel drop operations. The Alamo Wing has used Hondo Airbase for many years for this purpose. However, it is understood that the Wing probably will operate its missions in C-130 Hercules aircraft from an auxiliary field near D'Hanis.

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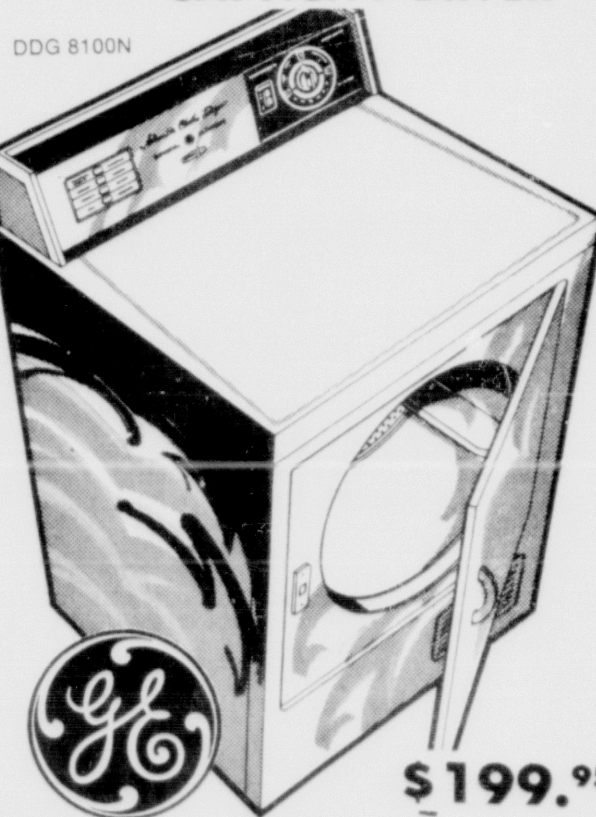
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Natalia & Chacon Lake news By Mrs. I.W. Thompson

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FOR INVENTORY

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Smith were honored on their 58th wedding anniversary with a dinner in Schulenburg Sunday, by their children, Mrs. Frank J. Gunn of Natalia, Mrs. Lola Sisley of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bradley of Natalia, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wilks, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kunz and Mr. and Mrs. Morris W. Smith of Baytown who also honored them with their presence.

Kenneth Herring, formerly of Fort Carson, Colorado, arrived Tuesday night for a 30-day leave with his father, Earl Herring, and his grandmother, Mrs. Clark Herring.

Kenneth will go to Fort Bliss in El Paso Monday, January 15, for his new assignment. Walter Richards, who is employed at Kelly Field, returned home Saturday morning by plane after a six weeks stay in Newark, Ohio on a TDY work order.

Gregory McMillan, accompanied by his cousin, Charles Stuehm of San Antonio, returned home Sunday night after spending the weekend at Monterrey, Mexico on a cave exploration.

Mr. and Mrs. Harico Meza and Harico, Jr., San Luis, Potosi, Mexico arrived

Tuesday to visit during the holidays with her sister and family, the Hector Hernandezes, Hector, Jr. and Richard and the group went to San Antonio Saturday for the day. While there, they visited the David Longs, David Jr., Angie and Isaac, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and Mrs. Victor Contreras.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel G. Ambler have as their house guests, their grandchildren, Mike and Melanie Webb of Fullerton, California, who arrived Saturday for the Christmas holidays.

A. D. Hurry motored to Austin Tuesday to accompany his son, Harold, student at the University of Texas, home for a visit until Thursday. After arriving home, he surprised his parents by going to the airport in San Antonio to meet his sister, Mrs. David Meeker, David and Timothy who arrived from Travis AFB, California for the holidays. Mrs. Meeker is the former Bonnie Hurry.

The Iven W. Thompsons had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Billings, Moore, and their granddaughter, Miss Kathy Meeks, San Antonio.

Recent guests in the home of the Kempf Scotts, Carolyn and Sharon were Mrs. Scott's grandmother, Mrs. Charlie Meckel and her aunt and family, the Bennie Blumes and Bonnie, San Antonio.

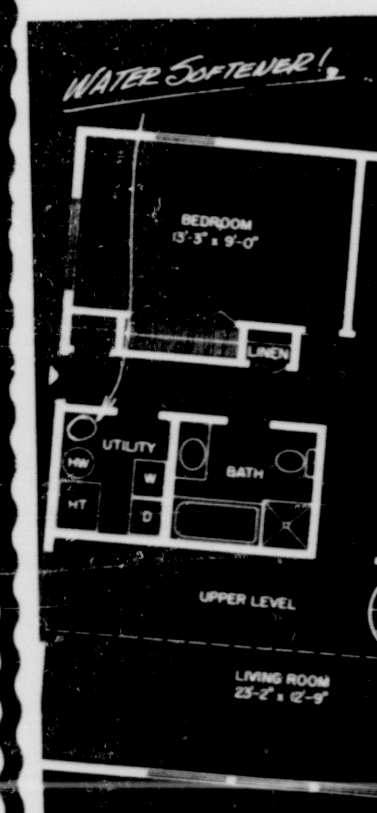
Mrs. Arthur W. Bongers received a letter on Friday from Mrs. F. E. Langford, Menard, informing her that Mr. Langford had been a patient in the hospital for tests, X-rays and treatment. Mrs. Bongers had as her guests Sunday afternoon, her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bippert, LaCoste.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry White, San Antonio, came out Sunday for the afternoon and had supper with his mother, Mrs. Susie May White, and they with Mrs. White, attended the cantata at the Natalia Baptist Church Sunday.

The Lenard Dosseys had as their afternoon and supper guests on Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gholson, San Antonio.

Mrs. Janette Rathbun, who is an in-and-out-patient at Wilford Hall Hospital, was released Friday for a visit with her parents, the A. J. Croswaites, until Monday morning, Jan. 8, and she is scheduled for surgery on the following Wednesday.

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This week

All she wrote

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Christmas-time stories might seem anticlimactic by now but I saw a last-minute appeal ad hanging high above a used car lot of slightly more than roadworn models. It read (in lights, yet!): "Dear Santa, Please bring customers, preferably with cash."

Sorry about the no-no decision on Hondo's flood problem project. But, that's the way some hoped-for liquid assets run with our good old federal government at the steering wheel.

Anyway, the generous checks received by city and county should help to pour oil on at least some problematic waters!

If the new president of the Hondo Chamber of Commerce happens to read this, he is to consider himself congratulated on his "Sphere of Interest" address delivered at the C C banquet.

Now, before the undoubtedly good intentions of those loyal citizens who heard the speech tend to join the paving projects always going on you-know-where, how about choosing your special-interest sphere (from among the dozen or so suggested) and telling the Head Man "Right on!", being sure to help share the civic responsibility?

P.S. to BKL: Remember to save a little time to WRITE ON, too, or -- well, no use to go into THAT, deadlines being the relentless taskmasters they are.

This is being pecked out on Thursday, 12/21, the day Winter is due in exactly 23 minutes from now. Some sources give the date as 12/22. Whichever is correct, this city today is basking in the type of sunny, cool weather that seems more like October. If this be Winter, I'm ready and willing to make the most of it!

A local columnist, Kenneth McCaleb (whose paragraphs I consider required reading) has this to say, even though I can't agree:

"In fact, if you want to know what I think, Winter is one of Nature's major mistakes."

I'd call this an opinion subject to change someday when the old thermometer hits 99 plus in the shade -- and no shade!

The Manchester (NH) Union Leader offers "a free LIFETIME subscription to any resident of this state 100 years old or older."

Wonder how many of our good Medina Countyans would be eligible if the ANVIL HERALD decided to follow suit?

After seven years of operation off the Vietnam Coast, the USNS Corpus Christi Bay has returned home. Its mission while at sea was to support Army aviation in the repair and overhaul of aircraft engines and parts. During its tour of duty, the battalion overhauled some 300,000 items with an acquisition value of \$220 million.

The CC BAY is to remain tied up in the basin next to the Coast Guard Depot, to be kept in readiness for use whenever the Army may need it.

With today's increasingly threatening headlines, who knows?

A headline in the AH of 12/7 read: "ELMER FASELER earns certificate of work."

I think the adjective "hard" work should have been included. I remember his earnest dedication to his responsibility and the carefully prepared reports he made to the city council during the years while I was pencil-pushing for our Anvil Herald.

Public utilities are more or less taken for granted by the people who use them--and that includes us all. We also need to remember to give credit to the men whose experienced skills keep 'em operating.

I was interested to note, among the list of contributors to the Hondo Library shelves, the gift of German language magazines, essays and plays, from R. H. and HILDEGARDE REXROAD.

I still think that our HHS should offer German as an elective course. Perhaps someday it will. Progress has been made in Spanish in the last several years and the advantages of bilingualism are many.

Reading copy as it comes across an editor's desk also makes one wonder if English might be included! Reading writing and writing reading can present many problems!

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Hospital News

MEDINA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

ADMISSIONS

DECEMBER 16
Dorothy Miller, Hondo

DECEMBER 17
Erinda Delgado, Castroville

Albert Hattaway, Angleton

DECEMBER 18
Carlos Ortega, D'Hanis
Carolyn Rexroad, Hondo
Jim G. McCaleb, Leakey
Teodora Rivera, Hondo

DECEMBER 19
Juanita Ramirez, Devine
Rosemary Barrientes, Hondo

DECEMBER 20
Filomino Rodriguez, D'Hanis

Leota Hartman, Hondo

DECEMBER 21
Sofia Leos, Sabinal
Aileen Dubose, Devine
Shelton Dubose, Devine
Robert Neuman, Hondo
Emily J. Wilcox, Michigan

Sarah Muniz, Hondo
Dorothy Deal, Lytle

DECEMBER 22
Vaughn Williamson, Hondo

Rex Williamson, Hondo
Josephine Estrada, Lytle
George Compton, Sabinal
Guadalupe Zulaica, Devine

Maria DeLeon, Hondo

Social Security

Questions & Answers

QUESTION: I'll be 65 next August and I'm trying to keep up with all the latest information on Medicare. I read that a recent law changed the way I'll enroll in the medical insurance part of Medicare. Is this true?

ANSWER: Yes. People who become 65 in July or later and are eligible for Medicare hospital insurance will automatically be enrolled in the medical insurance part of Medicare. However, you'll still have the opportunity to decline enrollment if you decide you don't want medical insurance coverage.

QUESTION: I don't get monthly social security payments but I have kidney disease and I require dialysis every week. My neighbor told me I can now have Medicare protection to help pay the cost of these treatments. Is this true?

ANSWER: People under 65 who need hemodialysis treatments or kidney transplants can be covered by Medicare health insurance starting July 1, 1973, if they have worked long enough under social security. Eligibility begins the 3rd month after the month dialysis begins and lasts through the 12th month after the month dialysis ends or the patient had a kidney transplant. This protection also will be available to insured workers' wives or husbands and dependent children who need such treatments or transplants.

Here in Hondo

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. (Jimmy) Duncan of Killeen spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Duncan, and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bohmfalk.

DISMISSALS

DECEMBER 16
Clarence Muennink, Yancey

Frank Zapata, D'Hanis
Fellis Moreno, Hondo

DECEMBER 17
Gloria Arellano, Sabinal

DECEMBER 18
Minnie Poehler, Hondo
Joe Juarez, Sabinal
Erinda Delgado, Castroville

Carlos Ortega, D'Hanis

DECEMBER 19
T. C. Hill, Hondo

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Aileen Dubose, Devine

Shelton Dubose, Devine
Robert Neuman, Hondo
Vaughn Williamson, Hondo

Rex Williamson, Hondo

BABIES

Michael Joe Anthony to M&M Joseph Rivera, Hondo, 8 lbs. 4 oz.

Rachael to M&M Robert Ramirez, Devine, 6 lbs. 11-1/2 oz.

Jamie to M&M Innocencio Leos, Sabinal, 8 lbs. 1-1/2 oz.

Randy to M&M Jose C. Estrada, Lytle, 5 lbs. 1-1/2 oz.

Boy to M&M Luis Muniz, Hondo, 6 lbs. 12-1/2 oz.

Toby Lynn to M&M Rick-ey Lunn Deal, Lytle, 7 lbs. 8-1/2 oz.

Loucrecia to M&M Jerry Zulaica, Devine, 6 lbs. 11-1/2 oz.

Guadalupe, Jr. to M&M Guadalupe DeLeon, Hondo, 6 lbs. 1-3/4 oz.

School menu

HAPPY NEW YEAR!
JAN. 2-5

TUESDAY
Char-Broiled Hamburgers
French Fries
Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Onions
Chocolate Cake, w/Whip

WEDNESDAY
Chili Con Carne
Spanish Hominy
Cabbage Slaw w/Carrots
Corn Bread
Jelly, Butter
Milk

THURSDAY
Creamed Turkey over Noodles
Candied Carrots
Celery Sticks
Peach Half
Milk
Bread

FRIDAY
Meat Loaf
Catsup
Buttered Corn
Peas
Hot Rolls
Butter, Jelly
Milk



Happiness Is...

Combine Christmas with good eating, mix in a group of youngsters and you have happiness. The faces of these youngsters reflect that happiness as they gathered for a picture after the children's party sponsored Friday night at the National Guard Armory by Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Green and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wernette. They were assisted by Dora Guajardo, Vickie Guajardo, Sylvia Ramirez, Mr. and Mrs. Burnis Lawrence and Debbie and Terri Young. Everyone enjoyed duck and dressing with cake as dessert.



Taking down the tree

The children's party is over at the National Guard Armory and this trio are taking down the Christmas Tree. Helping with the party, sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wernette, were left

to right: Dora Guajardo, Vickie Guajardo and Sylvia Ramirez. The children enjoyed a duck and dressing dinner with cake for dessert. They also received a small bag of candy.

4-H News

The Hondo 4-H Rifle Club will meet January 10 at 7 p. m. at the Indoor Rifle Range for a business meeting.

The program will be given by Jerry Turrentine from the Soil Conservation Office. Everyone should please

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Two county students graduate

SAN MARCOS--Two Southwest Texas State University students from Hondo were among the more than 600 graduates who received degrees in mid-year commencement ceremonies Dec. 22.

The students receiving degrees from SWTSU were Dan C. Dailey and Judith Ann Zerr.

Dailey is the son of Mrs. Anna Dailey of Route 1, Dunlay. He received a bachelor of science degree in agriculture.

Miss Zerr is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Zerr of 1408 26th St. in Hondo. She received a bachelor of science in education degree with a major in biology. While attending SWT Miss Zerr was on the

dean's honor list two semesters.

Here in Hondo

Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Braden were Lt. Col. and Mrs. R. G. Shaw and children of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jungman and daughters of Castroville and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hartmann and son of College Station.

Charles Rihn in new business

Charles Rihn, son of Mrs. J. C. Rihn of Devine, has gone into partnership in a business in Houston.

He has joined Bill Barrett III and Jean Burke in a business called Aerial Gardens. The company deals in soil mix for growing plants and flowers, as well as plants by mail.

NEW YEAR DANCE

Dec. 31
9 PM to 1 AM
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Mendoza completes course

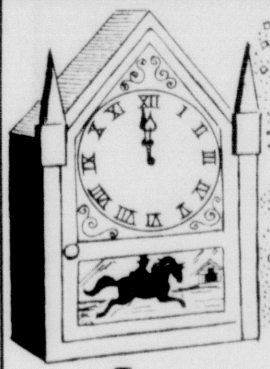
FT. POLK, LA. --Private Daniel Mendoza, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio T. Mendoza, Devine, recently completed eight weeks of basic training at the U. S. Army Training Center, Infantry, Ft. Polk, La.

He received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy,

military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Pvt. Mendoza received the training with Company B, 5th Battalion, 1st Brigade.

He was graduated from Devine High School this year and was employed by an electric-refrigeration company before entering the Army.



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TO ALL!**

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good things in life for you, your family and your
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of holiday seasons. Thanks for
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Off campus classes available at Uvalde

ALPINE--Sul Ross State University will offer 16 off campus classes through the Uvalde Center during the Spring, 1973 semester, according to Dr. Delbert Dyke, vice-president of Academic Affairs.

Classes will be conducted at Southwest Texas Junior College and registration is sched-

uled for Wednesday, Jan. 10 at 7:30 p. m. at SWTJC.

Courses to be offered include: Art 3303-Art for the Grades, Thursday; Education 3303-Methods, Observations and Materials for the Elementary Teacher, Tuesday; Education 3308-Kindergarten Child, Tuesday; Education 3310-Kindergarten Techniques

and Materials, Thursday; Education 4304-Mental Hygiene, Monday; Education 4307-Language Arts in the Grades, Monday; Education 4311-Arithmetic in the Grades, Wednesday; Education 5306-Advanced Tests and Measurements, Monday.

Also, Education 5307-Graduate Research, Tuesday;

Education 5308-Elementary Reading, Wednesday; Education 5313-Vocational Guidance, Thursday; Education 5314-Personality Theories, Monday; Education 5318-Personnel Problems, Tuesday; Education 6308-Advanced Studies in Child Growth and Development, Wednesday; English 4301-Materials and

Methods in Children's Literature, Monday, and Speech 3302-Speech for the Elementary Teacher, Wednesday.

Dyke pointed out that a minimum enrollment of 15 undergraduate and 10 graduate students is required for a class to make.

Additional information can be secured by contacting Mrs. George Cabada, 510 E. Oak in Uvalde, or by calling Mrs. Cabada at 278-3443.

Teachers exams

KINGSVILLE--The National Teacher Examinations (NTE) will be administered Jan. 27 at Texas A&I University in Room 100 of the Biology-Earth Science Building.

College seniors preparing to teach and teachers applying for positions in school systems which encourage or require the NTE are eligible to take the tests, according to Dr. Darwin B. Nelson, director of counseling and testing services at A&I.

Bulletins describing registration procedures and containing registration forms as well as sample test questions may be obtained from Nelson in Room 112 of College Hall at A&I or directly from the National Teacher Examinations, Educational Testing Service, Box 911, Princeton, N. J. 08540.



Radio for hospital

Medina Memorial Hospital has a fine RCA radio for patients thanks to the Hondo Lions Club. The gift, one that includes braile dial readings for persons who are blind, was delivered Wednesday by Lion President George Brucks, left, and Lion W. S. Duty. Receiving the gift were Marey Zerr and Judy Finger.

Natalia man is grad

Claude R. Davis of Natalia is one of approximately 252 Texas Christian University students who expect to complete degree requirements at the close of the fall semester on Dec. 22.

He has completed work toward a degree in public administration. A total of 225 students

completed degree requirements in December, 1971, as compared with 228 the previous year.

Mary Haby dies at 87

Obit. Mary Haby dies at 87--

Mrs. Leo L. (Mary Rosalie) Haby passed away December 20, 1972 in Hondo at the age of 87. Born September 1, 1885 to Joseph and Eugenia (Bourquin) Mann, she was preceded in death by her husband, Leo L. Haby.

Mrs. Haby is survived by three sons, Lawrence Haby of San Antonio, Clarence Haby and Alvin Haby of Castroville; four grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

She is also survived by a brother, Alfred Mann of Castroville.

Rosary was said at 7:30 p. m. Friday, Dec. 22, and funeral services were held on Saturday, Dec. 23, at Tondre-Gunn Funeral Home in Castroville. Interment was in St. Louis Cemetery, Castroville.



A New Year Toast

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the opportunity
to serve you. Thanks!

WINN'S

Hondo, Texas



As we bid farewell to the old year
and celebrate the arrival of the new,
we pause to add a note of thanks to all.

JUDGE & MRS.
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Openings exist in Job Corps

There are openings right now in the Job Corps for young men and women between 16 and 22 who need education and training to get a good job.

"Job Corps strengthens basic educational skills and offers a wide range of job training in skills that are needed by employers today," says Carlos Villareal, Job Corps Recruiter of the Texas Employment Commission.

People who enroll in this training program will have a place to live, with meals provided, the care care of doctors and dentists when it is needed, work clothes, spending money and other benefits.

Length of training varies with the individual. Some people complete the training program in a year, and others take up to two years.

Growth for the mind and body is gained through sports,

music, hobbies, student government, and recreation. Trainees may make visits to their homes, and have a chance to shop and sight-see in nearby cities.

Most Texas enrollees can be assigned to a Job Corps Center either at Camp Gary, San Marcos, for young men, or at McKinney, for young women.

Texas Employment Commission, at 400 South Main Avenue in San Antonio interviews and screens applicants for Job Corps openings and sends the applications to Job Corps Headquarters for selection and assignment. Interested young people should visit Villareal and the other Job Corps workers at the Employment Commission for more information.

A TEC representative visits Hondo every Tuesday at the Chamber of Commerce office.



Gift for Brown's

Patients at Brown's Nursing and Convalescent Center can enjoy music from these fine radios presented by the Hondo Lions Club. The radios have braille readings for persons who are blind or near blind. At the Wednesday presentation were, left to right: Lion President George Brucks, Mr. and Mrs. Werner Moldenhauer, owners; Mrs. Imogene Bohmfalk, manager; and Lion W. S. Duty.



Bond sales reach 84% of goal

Sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds for the eleven-month period totaled \$117,047 in Medina County. Of this amount, \$10,866 were purchased during the month of November, according to Frank X. Vance, Chairman of the Medina County Savings Bonds Committee.

This was 84 percent of the 1972 goal of \$140,000.

During November, Texans purchased \$17,169,531 in Savings Bonds. The year-to-

date sales amounted to \$194,211,487 for 98% of the state's goal of \$197.5 mil.

National sales during the month totaled \$545 million, a 19.2% increase over 1971 sales of \$457 million. January-November sales were \$5.7 billion for 109% of the national sales goal of \$5.3 billion. Exchanges of Series E and Savings Notes for new Series H Bonds amounting to \$308 million were reported for the first eleven months of 1972, 39% above the \$231 million exchanged in 1971.



Stars announced for rodeo

Stars for the 1973 San Antonio Stock Show Rodeo have been named by E. W. Bickett, president of the annual show.

Leading off the 10-day event with eight performances between Friday, Feb. 9 and Monday, Feb. 12, will be Ken Curtis, better known to millions of television viewers as Festus Haggen on "Gunsmoke".

Making her fourth appearance at the show, Judy Lynn, one of America's most popular female Country entertainers, will star on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 13, 14 and 15.

Rounding out the show with five appearances during Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 16, 17 and 18, will be that dynamic "When You're Hot You're Hot" man, Jerry Reed.

Those who know Curtis only as the grizzled assistant marshal of Dodge City might be surprised to learn he is a fine singer. Long before he turned to being the feisty, stubble faced murderer of the King's English Curtis spent several years as a soloist and later as a member of the

famed Sons of the Pioneers--a group that spawned Roy Rogers, among others.

For the past several years Curtis has traveled the rodeo circuit. When he first started making personal appearances he did so as a team with Milburn Stone, "Gunsmoke's" Doc Adams. When Stone had to undergo open heart surgery (from which he has since fully recovered) Festus went on alone.

Curtis explains Festus is really a conglomerate of dozens of characters he met in his youth when his father was sheriff of a small eastern Colorado town.

Jerry Reed is a performer, singer, songwriter, musician, record producer and, anyway you total the statistics, a winner.

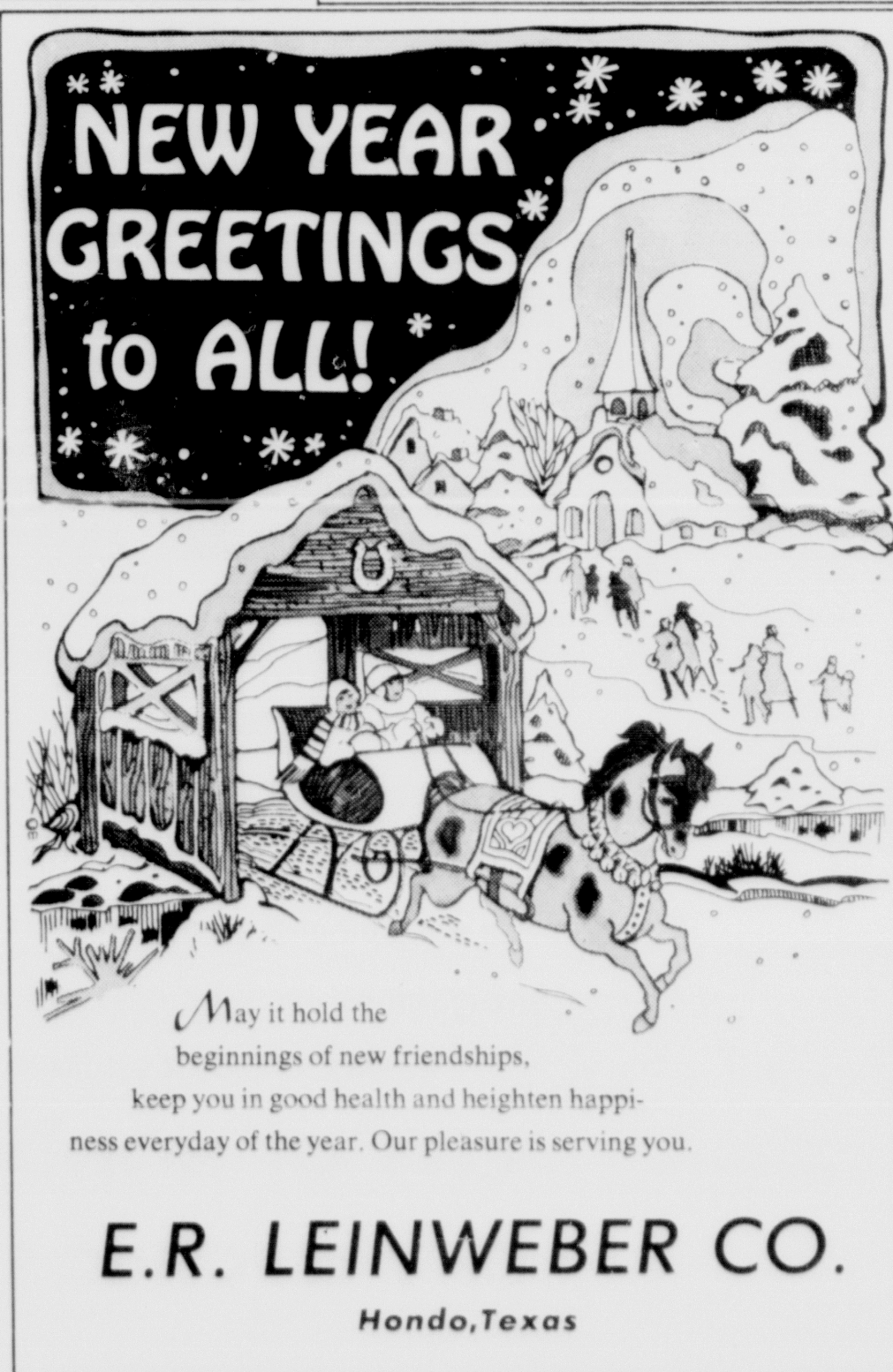
Until a few years ago he was known mostly around Nashville and among the hard core Country music fans. But within the past three years he has become a bonafide international favorite. Proof of his popularity came last March when he

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was named Country Music's Outstanding Male Vocalist of the year. Two other reasons for his skyrocket ride to fame were a pair of last year's major hits, "Amos Moses", and "When You're Hot You're Hot", both top sellers and both written and performed by Reed.

Jerry then became a regular on the Glen Campbell Show, replacing Glenn during this past summer. In 1970 he was chosen Country Instrumentalist of the Year, replacing his idol, the venerable Chet Atkins, who had been winning that title annually.

His duet album with Atkins, "Jerry and Me", won the Grammy Award that same year as the Best Country Instrumental Performance.



Nov. Police Report

Speeding, 78; Ran red light, 3; No driver's license, 12; Passing in no-passing zone, 3; Ran stop sign, 3; Yield R.O.W., 7; Auto accidents, 13; Funerals, 6; M.V.L., 5; Fail to control speed, 4; leaving scene of accident, 1; improper turn, 3; burglars, 3; family disturbance, 12; disturbance in public place, 10; drunk in public place, 2; fleeing from police office, 1; D.W.L., 9; warnings, 188; investigations, 19; prowlers, 16; disorderly conduct, 4; minor in possession, 9.



THE YEAR AHEAD...

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Save time; buy vehicle tags through mail

AUSTIN--Do you hate waiting in long lines? Do you shudder to think of the upcoming license plate renewal season? Does the thought of nearly eight million vehicles being registered in Texas this year scare you?

Well, you can cheer up. The Motor Vehicle Division

of the Texas Highway Department will be mailing out renewal applications for 1973 license plates shortly after Christmas.

Vehicle owners who wish to avoid the long lines can simply return the entire application by mail to the tax

assessor-collector in their home counties with the registration fee and \$1 per vehicle for handling and mailing.

There are three things to remember:

1. Leave the handy three-part form intact. Don't separate the three parts.
2. Mail it to the county tax office in your home county. (Mailing to the Highway Department will only delay your getting your 1973 plates.)
3. Be sure to include your registration fee plus an additional \$1 for each automobile to be registered by mail.

You may apply for your license plates by mail after January 1. However, county tax offices won't be sending the license plates until after February 1. You should allow at least 30 days from the time you apply for the license plates to be returned.

The 1973 plates must be displayed on your vehicle by April 1.

In-person registration will begin at county tax offices and, in some counties, special substations on February 1. Even though the automated registration application has speeded up the registration process, the waiting lines will grow progressively longer by the March 31 cut-off date.

HOLIDAY GREETINGS TO ALL

BOB'S BOWLING LANES
Hondo, Texas

Tires on State Inspection

Major Kent Odom, Commander of the South Texas Region of the Texas Department of Public Safety, announced that effective January 1, 1973, the inspection of tires will become a requirement as part of the required annual inspection of motor vehicles in Texas.

Tires with a tread depth of less than 1/16 inch or which have visible damage such as fabric breaks, lumps, bulges, or knots indicating sidewall or tread separation will not pass inspection. Tires temporarily repaired by use of blowout patches or boots will

also be rejected.

Tires which are marked "not for highway use", "Farm use only", "For racing purposes only" or any other marking that would indicate the tire is not meant for normal highway use will also fail inspection.

Other items to be inspected along with the new requirements on tires include brakes, lighting equipment, horns, and warning devices, mirrors, windshield wipers, front seat belts, steering, wheels and rims, exhaust system and emission control systems.



As we bid farewell to the old year and celebrate the arrival of the new, we pause to add a note of thanks to all.

FIRST SAVINGS
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As we move toward the greatest era of achievement in man's history, let us pause on the way to reevaluate our goals. With full confidence that our nation will grow ever greater, we must also resolve to strengthen our moral fortitude and spiritual values.

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To the many friends who were so thoughtful to send beautiful flowers and cards during my stay in the hospital, I want to say thank you, August Timmerman
12-28-1tp

I want to thank the firemen that came to my aid when my washer burned out the motor and caused a great deal of smoke and anxiety for me.
Mrs. Rosa Brucks
12-28-1tp

Our most grateful appreciation to all at the Brown's Nursing Home and the nursing staff and Dr. Parker Meyer for their help and loving care for our loved one, The Family of Rosa Haby
12-28-1tp

21-Farm Machinery and Supplies

Farmall M with 4 row planter and cultivator and 8 disc plow. Call Fred Ivy, WO 6-3381, Utopia, Texas. 11-30-5tp

John Deere tractor 420. 3 pt. hitch, \$895.00 Devine 663-2839. 11-30-tfc

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26—For Rent, Miscellaneous

1400 Ave. W. One bedroom furnished. 2 bedroom unfurnished, central heat, air conditioned, carpet, drapes, dishwasher, disposal, \$125, water paid. Apply Apt. 3, or call 426-4023. 11-30-tfc

51-Furniture For Sale

Maytag automatic washer. Now in use. Will demonstrate. \$50. Westinghouse refrigerator. Like new \$135. 426-2340. 12-21-tfc

Coppertone Hotpoint portable dishwasher. Cutting board top. Sears color TV, 25" screen; maple finish, excellent condition. One 30-gallon butane tank with regulator. 426-3487 Hondo. 12-14-tfc

For Sale: Stove and refrigerator. Good condition. Call 426-3179, 2406 Westwood Dr., Hondo. 12-21-2tc

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86-Miscellaneous

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FOR SALE: Cheap 21 inch black and white Motorola Television, 2001 19th Street. 12-28-tfc

First Shipment of Fresh Bulbs from Holland. Jake's Nursery, Hondo. 11-16-tfc

91-Motorcycles and Scooters for Sale

FOR SALE: Motorcycle, 1970, CL-100, \$200, Tim Wiemers, 426-3488. 12-28-1tp

104-Real Estate For Sale

House for sale: 1211 24th St. For information call 426-2939. 10-5-tfc

For Sale: Three lots and one 2-bedroom house. 1309 Ave. B. Luis Gauna. 12-21-tfc

Lot For Sale: 911 27th Street, Corner of 27th and Ave. K. Contact Gallo Construction Co. 426-4012. 12-7-tfc



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104-Real Estate For Sale continued

We need Farm and Ranch listings. Call Geo. L. Brucks, Hondo, 426-2412. Salesman for Walter J. Fuoss, Realty, San Antonio, Texas. 10-19-tfc

I need land listings. Patrick M. Vance with Mae Burkhardt Realtors, San Antonio, Phone 828-6235, residence 533-9595. 8-10-tfc

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151—Trailer or Mobile Homes For Sale

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Military services held for Travis Johnson

Full military honors were held for Travis Earl Johnson, 43, victim of an automobile accident Monday, December 18, 1972 nine miles south of Three Rivers Texas.

Funeral services were held Dec. 20 at 2 p.m. in Guinn-Horgor Funeral Home, Hondo, with Rev. A. M. Hannemann, pastor of St. Paul Lutheran Church, officiating. Interment was in

Tranquilino Vasquez dies at age 92

Tranquilino Vasquez of Hondo passed away in Medina Memorial Hospital Saturday, December 24, 1972, at the age of 92.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 3:30, Dec. 26 at Guinn-Horgor Funeral Chapel, Hondo, with David Castillo of the Devine

166-Wanted

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Wanted: To borrow old pictures taken in Medina County before and after the turn of the century and later. Will copy and return unharmed. Call Bingo Auto Parts, 426-3353. 12-7-tfc

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Legal notice

The Medina County Junior Stock Show Association is hereby advertising for bids of any organization interested in the concession stand rights for the County Livestock Show on February 5 and 6, 1972, at the Hondo Stock Show grounds. Bids are to be sent to Glenn Bragg, Drawer D, Hondo, Texas 78861, not later than January 5, 1973. These bids are to be opened on January 9, 1973.

The Medina County Junior Stock Show Association will have a 10 X 10 commercial exhibit space available for \$15.00. Anyone interested in purchasing exhibit space in the New Show Barn should contact Glenn Bragg, County Extension Agent.
Pub: Dec. 21 & 28, 1972

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS OF THE MEDINA COUNTY WATER CONTROL & IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 2,

MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS:
Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Medina County Water Control & Improvement District No. 2, D'Hanis, Texas, on Tuesday the 9th Day of January, 1973, between the hours of 8 A. M. & 6 P. M., for the purpose of electing 2 Directors for said District, The Medina County Water Control & Improvement District No. 2.

The (2) Directors elected at such election shall serve for a term of two years or until their successors are elected and qualified. Notice for Candidacy for such election must be filed with the Secretary not later than the 4th day of January 1973.

The Polling place for the said election will be the Fire House, at D'Hanis, Texas, and the following persons have been appointed officers for said Election: Clemens Finger, Judge, Ed S. Koch, Associate Judge and Clayton Nester, Clerk.

Issued this 18th day of December 1972, pursuant to an order passed by the Board of Directors of the Medina County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2, 18th day of December 1972.

Jack Zinsmeyer, President
ATTEST
John B. Nester
Pub: Dec. 21 & 28, 1972 & Jan. 4, 1973

Thomas Johnson, all of Hondo,
Also surviving are his brothers, Nolan Johnson of Waco and Gordon Johnson of Baytown, Texas; and one sister, Rilda Reinach of Joshua, Texas.

Palbearers were service-men from Kelly Air Force Base—R. E. Cain, Alexander Avila, Julius L. Scott, Larry W. Seay, Julius Adams, Jr. and Ronald Yalibondri.

and Marellina Vasquez of Hondo and step-daughters, Delfina Arredondo, Lupe Cuellar and Jasinta Cadena, all of Hondo.

Palbearers were F. C. Sanchez, Gilbert Trevino, Francisco Vasquez, Jose de laon, Jose De La Garza, Albert Arredondo and Manuel Noreiga, Jr.

inside eastern Medina County at Green Glen acres on Farm Road 1957.

The five were being held in jail in lieu of \$25,000 bond, pending arraignment in Justice of the Peace court Tuesday afternoon.

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Invitation For Bids

Sealed bids addressed to the
Project Coordinator, Castroville Regional Park,
City Hall, Castroville, Texas
will be received for the construction of a swimming pool in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the City Hall. A twenty-five dollar (\$25.00) refundable deposit will be required on each set of plans and specifications, which can be obtained at the office of
Harry Jewett Associates, 1800 Plaza West
1800 N. E. Loop 410
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78217

Bids will be received at the City Hall in Castroville until 2:00 p.m. of January 12, 1973, and then publicly opened and read aloud.

The construction of this proposed swimming pool is in conjunction with the development of the Castroville Regional Park, EDA Project No. 08-11-01342.

William T. Tschirhart
Project Coordinator 12-21-4tc

Young Farmers 'Coon hunt set

The Hondo Young Farmers will hold their annual coon hunt and barbecue on Saturday, January 6, according to Wilbur Lindeburg, Young Farmer president. All activities will be held on the Colby Joe Heyan place 12 miles north of Hondo on the old Bandera Road.

Cooking activities will be under the direction of Colby Joe Heyan and his committee. Meat has been donated for the event by several individuals and Young Farmer members will begin gathering early Saturday afternoon to prepare the barbecue and beans while enjoying refreshments and entertainment. At 6:30 p.m. wives of Young Farmer members will bring salads, desserts, and other dishes and enjoy the supper with their husbands.

A program on deer hunting in West Texas will be presented by Harlan Wolff

and Doug Mogford after the supper. Slides and movies of a successful mule deer hunt south of Alpine by seven Young Farmer members in November will be shown. Jerry Turrentine, wildlife biologist and conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service will also be there to demonstrate the technique of aging deer through the examination of their jaw teeth.

All interested members will then be invited to participate in a coon hunt. Since raccoon and ringtail hides bring good prices, the Young Farmers have high hopes that their hunt will be a successful one.

In case of severe inclement weather, the coon hunt and barbecue will be postponed to the following Saturday, January 13.

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GRAVE of the
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Sun., Only, Dec. 31
"BROTHER OF THE WIND"



D. G. DORRIES FAMILY

... took first place for door and window displays at their home at 1710 24th St.

Lighting winners told

The Chamber of Commerce and the Hondo Garden Club announced the winners of their Christmas Lighting contest for 1972.

Divided into four categories, the exhibits were judged according to time spent in preparation, originality, theme and lighting.

Winner in the business division was the Artistic Floral Shop, and runner-up honors went to Edna's Flower Shop.

In the Door and Window Display division, D. G. Dorries of 1710 24th St. won first prize, and the Vernon V. Wiemers home at 605 21st took second place.

Yard display winners were the Norman Buescher family of 1201 27th St. and second place went to Mrs. Mary Jane Marrs of 1505 25th St.

The winners of the children's displays were Patrick Richards of 1712 24th St. for first place, and Nancy Martin of 1210 28th St., second.

Owls open district play

The Hondo Owl Basketball team will begin district play Friday night, December 29, against Cotulla in the Hondo High School gymnasium.

The game will be the first played at home this year by the Owls, who stand 3 and 4 for the season so far.

The B team game will begin at 8:30, followed by the Varsity game at 8 p.m.

Admission prices for basketball games this season will see their first hike in several years. Starting Friday, adults will be charged 75¢ admission, and students through the 12th grade will be charged 25¢.

The Owl cagers under the direction of Coach Dan Keath

have warmed up in their past few games to nearly even their season record. They took third place in the Devine Tournament on Dec. 16 with a victory over Devine of 67-64.

Starters for the Owls are Ray Garcia and Brian Finger at guards, Keith Libon and Mike Groff at forwards, and Doug Helvey at center.

First-line reserves William Green and Raul Rios have also seen considerable playing time so far in the young season.

The second District play series will be played January 2 against Medina Valley.

Those two games will be played in Medina Valley

gymnasium with B teams playing at 6:30 and the Varsity game starting at 8 p.m.

Sales tax reaches \$15,000

Last summer proved to be a lighter spending period in Hondo if the recent sales tax check received by the City is any indication.

The check, covering the third quarter of the year, July, August and September, amounted to \$15,729.84 and proved to be the second highest check received by Hondo since the sales tax was voted in by local residents.

In comparison, the third quarter check fell a little behind the \$16,056.64 received for the second quarter 1972. But it gained over the same period (third quarter) in 1971, when the check amounted to \$14,960.38.

Three checks in 1972 have totaled \$46,549.47.

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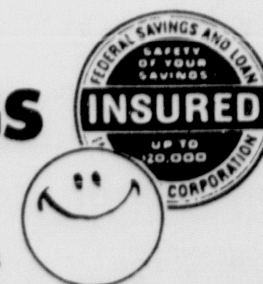
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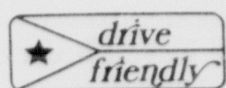


Cheers From the Highway Crasher

Here comes the happy Highway Crasher. He's much too polite to crash your New Year's Eve or bowl game parties. He'll just wait until later — when you're on the road — to start his real celebrating.

He's had a couple of drinks to see out the old year and a couple more to see in the new. Now he's racing and weaving his way to a final, smashing whoopie. For him, Driving Friendly would have meant not driving at all.

A sober, cheerful Resolution: Drive Friendly.

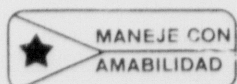


Saludos De Los Choferes Borrachos

Ahi viene el Chofer Borracho muy contento. El no va a su fiesta de Ano Nuevo sin Usted invitado. El espera hasta mas tarde cuando Usted esta en la carretera — para entonces empujar a celebrar. El se ha tomado un par de tragos para despedir el Ano Viejo y dos tragos

mas para recibir el Ano Nuevo. Ahora si, el anda muy contento corriendo en su carro, saludando a todo el mundo, hasta que se estralle con Usted o con otro carro. Para el — Manejar con Amabilidad — hubiera sido de no haber manejado.

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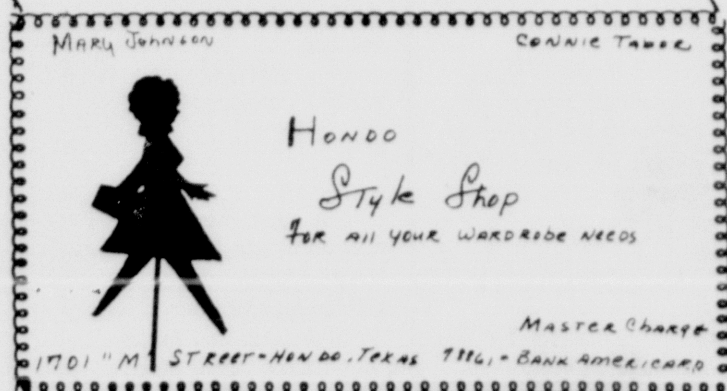
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SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 20th. THRU SATURDAY DECEMBER 30th., 1972.

BORDEN'S EGG NOG
 3/4oz. CTN. **50¢**
BORDEN'S WHIPPING CREAM
 8oz. CTN. **39¢**

THIS WEEK'S top meat values

PORK ROAST
 lb. **69¢**

ROEGELEIN'S CLUB HAMS
 lb. **1.30**

ROEGELEIN'S BACON lb. **85¢**
ROEGELEIN'S WIENERS 12oz. PKG. **59¢**
ROEGELEIN'S PINK PIG PORK SAUSAGE 12oz. PKG. **59¢**
EXTRA LEAN GROUND BEEF lb. **95¢**
PURE PORK CHUCK SAUSAGE lb. **75¢**
CHUCK ROAST lb. **85¢**
SHOULDER ROUND ROAST lb. **85¢**
SEVEN STEAK lb. **85¢**
SIRLOIN STEAK lb. **1.25**
RIB STEAK lb. **85¢**
LONGHORN CHEESE lb. **95¢**

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CHRISTMAS DECEMBER 25th. AND NEW YEAR'S JANUARY 1st. 1973.



KRAFT 8oz. PKG. PHILADELPHIA CREAM CHEESE **25¢**
BORDEN'S DIPS 3 8oz. CTNS. **1.30**

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BORDEN'S ICE CREAM 1/2 GAL. CTN. **75¢**

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DELICIOUS APPLES lb. **25¢**
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GREEN ONIONS BUNCH **10¢**

FRESH POTATOES 5 lb. BAG **59¢**

CHARMIN TOILET TISSUE 4 ROLL PAK **39¢**

NORTHERN NAPKINS 160ct. PKG. **20¢**
SUNSHINE CRACKERS 1lb. Box **43¢**
OCEAN SPRAY CRANBERRY SAUCE 300 CAN **20¢**

KRAFT MINIATURE MARSHMALLOWS 10oz. BAG **21¢**
KEEBLER'S TOWN HOUSE CLUB CRACKERS Box **47¢**
HUNT'S SPICED PEACHES 2 7/8 JARS **69¢**

GLADIOLA FLOUR 5 lb. BAG **59¢**

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Public Records

REAL ESTATE

William Zinsmeyer and Irene Zinsmeyer, husband and wife, to Melvin William Zinsmeyer and Jo Ann Zinsmeyer, husband and wife, deed to 11,842 acres of land more or less, being a part of a 100.0 acre tract of land conveyed to William Zinsmeyer and wife, Irene Zinsmeyer, by David Bippert and wife, said land within Sur. #1/17, L & G, N.R.R. Co., Abst. #1215, Medina County, \$10 etc.

Alamo Lumber Co. to Thomas M. Fitzpatrick and wife, Carol A. Fitzpatrick, deed to Lot 2, Blk. 2, South Side Addition, Hondo, \$16, -200 etc.

Lakecroft Beach Estates, Inc., a Texas corporation, to Paul E. Goetz and wife, Maria Goetz, deed to Tract 9 of Green Glen Acres, Medina County, \$10 etc.

Pat Voigt to William M. Porter deed to 154 acres, more or less, out of Sur. #

40, B. Sandoval, Medina County, \$10 etc.

Edward R. Bair and wife, Florence May Bair, to Wedgewood Estates, WD/VL to 6,979 acres out of Sur. #4, D. Lieber and comprising a portion of Lots 1, 3, 3 and all of Lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, NCB 142, Adams National Bank Subd., Devine, \$10 etc.

Josephine S. Rivera, a feme sole, formerly the wife of Jesse J. Rivera, Sr., to Samuel A. Wheeler and wife, Audrey J. Wheeler WD/VL to 5,15 acres of land out of the Robert Atkinson Sur. #5, and comprising all of Lot 1, Blk. 15, out of the Wheeler, Kelly and Haggy Investment Subd., Medina County, \$10 etc.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Fernando Joe Rodriguez and Maria Alma Ybarra, Dec. 15.

Thomas Daniel Cook and Cynthia Ann Steward, Dec. 15.

Justo Moreno and Juana Francisca Gonzales, Dec. 18.

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS

Mrs. C. P. Rugh, Bandera, Buick, Guadalupe Z. Arredondo, Hondo, Pontiac, Gaona Parts Wlse., Laredo, Chev. PU, Frank Isaac, San

Antonio, Chev. PU, Edwardo Sepulveda, Natalia, Chev. PU, Albert Olguin, San Antonio, Chev. Forrest W. Cox, Hondo, Oldsmobile, Alvin L. Montgomery, Lytle, Chev. Charles J. Schulte, Dunlay, Ford PU, Kenneth Persyn, Castroville, Ford PU.

Norman Lee McBee, Sabinal, Ford, Mousies Gomez, Sabinal, Chev. FL/S PU, Tom G. Kuykendall, Hondo, Chev. Hortense Kazak, San Antonio, Chev. Wgn. Alejandro Garcia, Lytle, Chev. FL/S PU, Virgil Kenneth Steubing, San Antonio, Chev. Dump Trk, Manuel T. Casiano, Encinal, Chev. PU, Jesus F. Dominguez, Temple, Chev. James L. Leonard, Devine, Chev.

Morales Feed Lots, Inc., Devine, Chev. Bonnie Thornberry, San Antonio, Buick, Lawrence R. Rogers, Devine, Chev. PU, M. W. Jones, San Antonio, Chev. Dump Trk, Edward L. Allison, Castroville, Felps Stock Trlr, Glenn Crain, Moore, Dugan Livestock, Transcontinental Leasing, Whipping, N.J., Chev. Andres M. Contreras, Devine, Chev. Wgn. Warren W. Healer, Somerset, Chev. Suburban,

Arturo P. Hernandez, Devine, Chev. PU.

Manuel Soliz, Hondo, Oldsmobile, Walter Thornberry, Utopia, Chev. Roy C. DuBose, Devine, Ford PU, Charles A. Thompson, Devine, Ford SW, Mary Louise Perez, San Antonio, Chev. Camero, Zinsmeyer Refrig-

eration, LaCoste, Int'l PU, Joe M. Mahan, Dilley, Ford PU, Anthony Boehme, LaCoste, Ford, W. Lee Wheeler, Mathis, Ford 3/4T PU, Jesse W. Uresti, Von Ormy, Ford PU, Hardin Farm, Batesville, Ford PU, G. T. Sandidge, Jr., Tarpley, Pontiac.

Happy Birthday

DECEMBER 29
Mrs. Benjamin G. Wiemers
Debrah Pargas
Shannon De Ann Bohm-falk

Tammy Michelle O'Day
Georgia Ruth Landers
Dwayne Masters

DECEMBER 30
Mrs. Clifton Schott
Linda Moss
Mrs. Floyd C. Steubing
Darlene Boehme
Mrs. Marlin Mechler
Rhonda Sue Graff
Carmen Bill Alobas
Guillermo Garcia

DECEMBER 31
Larry Charles Boehle
John J. Sturm
Norman Zapada
Glenn Richard Sturm
Mrs. Richard Masters
Jamie Holloway

JANUARY 1
Gary Hutzler
Marvin B. Muenink
Mrs. Louise Krenmueller
Tommy Timmerman
Barry Hutzler
George N. Pittman

JANUARY 2
Karen Sue Boehle
R. Edward Wurzbach
Cordell Bohlen
Robert Stolte
Leroy F. Ybarra
Bennis Bendele

Pamela Hearsh
Loretta Oaks
Ida Lopez

JANUARY 3
Troy Lee Hargroder
Albert Vance
Michele Biediger
Mrs. Robert Dile

JANUARY 4
Mrs. Gus A. Mechler
Beverly Muenink
Rudolph Reus
Eldrich Kunze, Jr.
William Orcenith Fly
Mrs. John Gilliland
August Schneider

Camp Fire News

The Globe Trotter Camp Fire girls met in their club room on Dec. 19th. Dana Ward opened the meeting. Deanne Shuler said a prayer and we enjoyed decorated cup cakes and iced coke served by Robin Ward. Mrs. Sue Ann Graff told us how to take care of our hair and gave each of the 12 girls a personal comb. Mrs. Herman Winter loaned us a pretty silver Christmas tree for our party. We enjoyed the gifts from under it.
--Rita Sue Graff

KRME TOP 20

1. SHE'S GOT TO BE A SAINT
--Ray Price
 2. IS THIS THE BEST I'M GONNA FEEL?
--Don Gibson
 3. SOUL SONG
--Joe Stampley
 4. KATY DID
--Porter Wagoner
 5. WHITE SILVER SANDS
--Sonny James
 6. PASS ME BY/JEALOUS HEART
--Johnny Rodriguez
 7. LOVIN' ON BACK STREETS
--Mel Street
 8. PRETEND I NEVER HAPPENED
--Waylon Jennings
 9. SING ME A LOVE SONG TO BABY
--Billy Walker
 10. SHE NEEDS SOMEONE TO HOLD HER
--Conway Twitty
 11. SHE LOVES ME (RIGHT OUT OF MY MIND)
--Freddie Weller
 12. I WONDER IF THEY EVER THINK OF ME
--Merle Haggard
 13. FOOL ME
--Lynn Anderson
 14. CATFISH JOHN
--Johnny Russell
 15. GOT THE ALL OVERS FOR YOU
--Freddie Hart
 16. SHE'S MY ROCK
--Stoney Edwards
 17. LISTEN
--Tommy Cash
 18. TO KNOW HIM IS TO LOVE HIM
--Jody Miller
 19. A PICTURE OF ME (WITHOUT YOU)
--George Jones
 20. DO YOU KNOW WHAT IT'S LIKE TO BE LONESOME?
--Jerry Wallace
- PICK HIT: "HELLO, WE'RE LONELY"
--Patti Page & Tom T. Hall
- FEATURED ALBUM: "HANK THOMPSON'S GREATEST HITS--VOL. 1"

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COFFEE **95¢**

POTATOES **85¢**
10 Lb. bag

LETTUCE **29¢**
HEAD Ea.

ORANGES **59¢**
5 lb. bag

METZGERS
MELLO-ICE CREAM **59¢**
1/2 gal.

PURE LARD **\$4.89**
25-Lb. Can

FAB
DETERGENT **79¢**
Giant Size Box

CINNAMON ROLLS Ea. Pk. **31¢**

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Bake-Rite 3-Lb. Can

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CLOROX BLEACH

1/2 GAL. JUG **39¢**

CLOROX CLEANSER

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Can **15¢**

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Ctn. **64¢**

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Btl. **59¢**

REYNOLDS Heavy Duty Aluminum
FOIL 18x25"
Roll **59¢**

RANCH STYLE
BLACKEYED PEAS
With Bacon
300
Can **19¢**

DOLE
PINEAPPLE
GRAPEFRUIT
JUICE
46 Oz.
Can **29¢**

GULF FREE
RUNNING
SALT
28 Oz.
Box **10¢**

HORMEL CANNED
HAM
3 Lb.
Can **\$3.98**

GRADE A
FRYERS
1/2 **35¢**

RUMP OR PIKES PEAK
ROAST
1/2 **95¢**

LIBBY'S
BLACKEYED
PEAS
10 Oz.
Pkg. **32¢**

LIBBY'S
ORANGE
JUICE 2 6 Oz.
Cans **59¢**

HUNT'S
CATSUP
14 Oz.
Btl. **29¢**

RUBBING
ALCOHOL
KRAFT MINIATURE
Marshmallows
AMERICAN DILL
PICKLES
22 Oz.
Btl. **43¢**

70%
Pint
Plastic
Btl. **19¢**

6 1/4 Oz.
Pkg. **15¢**

10 Lb.
Bag **89¢**

GOLDEN RIPE
BANANAS 15¢ Stk. **25¢**

WHITE
WINGS
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NO 2½ CAN

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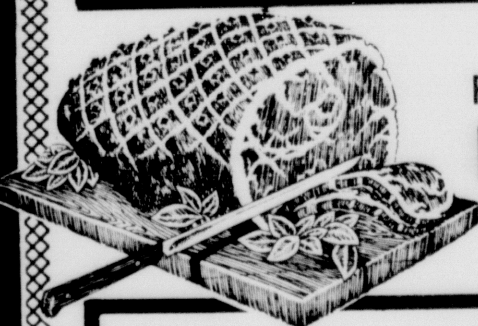


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T-BONE STEAK

Lb. **\$1.45**

Ranch Country 12 oz. Pkg.

ALL MEAT FRANKS

Pkg. **59¢**

Kraft's 8 oz. Stick

SWISS CHEESE

Pkg. **69¢**

PARK MANOR BISCUITS

10 READY TO BAKE
HOMESTYLE BISCUITS

SWEETMILK OR
BUTTERMILK
REG. TUBE

7¢

GOLD STAR SPECIAL

WEB

Prices Good in Hondo Thru Tues. Jan. 2

BORDEN SALE

DIPS 8 oz.

35¢

SOUR CREAM 8 oz.

35¢

EGG NOG 1/2 gal.

59¢

DEL MONTE PEAS

EARLY GARDEN NO. 303 CAN



25¢

GOLD STAR SPECIAL

COLD CUTS

HEB BOLOGNA SALAMI

OR SPECIAL

LUNCHEON

12 OZ. PKG. ...

69¢

SLICED BACON

DECKER

KORN KIST

POUND

59¢

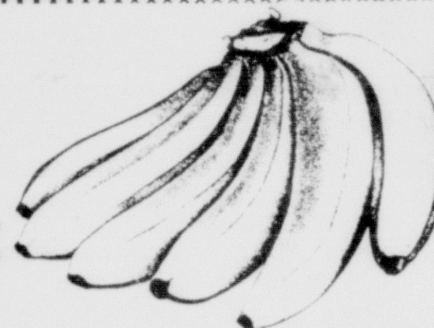
WEB GOLDEN SERVICE

FRESH RED RIPE
TOMATOES

4-COUNT

BAG...

35¢



BANANAS

CENTRAL AMERICAN
GOLDEN YELLOW

POUND.....

10¢

CUCUMBERS

TEXAS FRESH
CRISP EACH.....

10¢

AVOCADOS

CALIFORNIA FRESH TASTY

LARGE
SIZE EACH

19¢

FRESH SWEET ZIPPER SKINNED

TANGERINES

Lb. **19¢**

Florida Fresh Golden Yellow

CORN

4 Ears Ea.

10¢

Texas Fresh Green

CABBAGE

Lb. **10¢**

Texas Fresh Green

JALAPENO PEPPERS

Lb. **39¢**

U.S. #1 Fresh Tender Yellow

SQUASH

Lb. **29¢**

Wisconsin Fresh Rutabaga

TURNIPS

Lb. **15¢**

Michigan Red Del., Red Rome

APPLES

3# Bag Ea. **63¢**

California Fresh Juicy

LEMONS

Lb. **29¢**

Sweet Juicy Valencia

ORANGES

5# Bag Ea. **49¢**

Texas Tree Ripened Red 5# Bag

GRAPEFRUIT

Ea. **57¢**

Kraft Fresh Pure 1/2 Gal Jar Ea.

ORANGE JUICE

92¢

BROWN & SERVE
ROLLS

Reg. 32c

DOZEN

25¢

BROWN & SERVE
Hot Bread

REG. 39c

Pkg of 2

LOAVES

25¢

KOUNTY KIST CORN

WHOLE KERNEL GOLDEN
12 oz. can

15¢

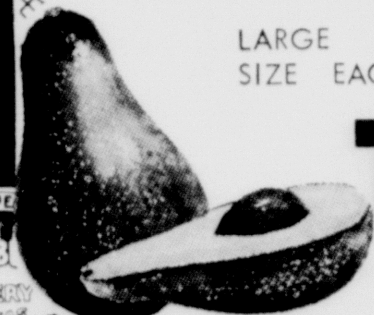


GOLD STAR SPECIAL

PARK MANOR ICE CREAM
HALF GALLON

59¢

GOLD STAR SPECIAL



SMUCKERS CHOCOLATE FUDGE
ICE CREAM TOPPING 12 oz. **29¢**

Silver Valley	OLEO	limit 2	10c
CREAM CHEESE	Philadelphia 3 oz. tub		10c
JELLO GELATIN	Assorted Flavors Small box		12c
PINEAPPLE JUICE	Dole's 46 oz. can		35c
ZEE NAPKINS	Spicelene 60 count pkg		12c
ONION SOUP MIX	Lipton 2 Pack Box		35c
SALAD DRESSING	Fairlane 12 oz. jar		39c
MIXED NUTS	Tom Scott 12 oz. can		59c

ROYAL MANOR "Peppermint Chip"
ICE CREAM HALF GALLON **89¢**

BOUNTY TOWELS	Assorted colors Jumbo roll	39c
WHEAT CHEX	15 oz. box	47c
Silvex Bleach	1/2 Gal.	25c
Liquid Detergent	Caravelle, pink 22 oz. bottle	29c
Dried Blackeyed Peas	Arrow 16 oz. pkg.	29c
HI-HO Snack Cracker	16 oz. box	43c
Corn Bread Mix	Pioneer 24 oz. box	37c
BISCUITS	Pillsbury, Buttermilk 8 oz. tub	10c
MARGARINE	Packery, salt 1 lb. package	49c
PET MILK	Evaporated Tall Can	20c
Asparagus Spears	Green Giant 15 oz. can	79c

MARY ELLEN BAKERY

COFFEE CAKE

PINEAPPLE SWIRL REG. 79c EACH **69c**

Pecan Rolls Homestyle pkg. reg. 59c **39c**

Sugar Dunkers reg. 59c **49c**

APPLE PIE each **69c**

Golden Cupcakes pkg. of 5 **79c**

Cinnamon Donuts Glazed Roll Reg. 59c pkg. **49c**

PINTO BEANS

4LB. **59¢**

PURE LARD

3LB. Carton **49¢**

FROZEN FOODS

MR. G HASH BROWNS **POTATOES** 5 LB. BAG **69c**

Banquet Dinners All flavors except Beef & Ham 11 oz. pkg. **39c**

BROCCOLI SPEARS Westpac 10 oz. pkg. **22c**

JENO'S PIZZA All flavors 10 oz. box **69c**

POTATOES O'BRIEN Ore Ida 1 1/2 lb. bag **39c**

Westpac 10 oz. box **25c**

Blackeyed Peas 25c

Tamale Pie Each **25c**

Sara Lee 17 oz. size **89c**

CHEESECAKE Hawaiian 6 oz. can **21c**

PUNCH 21c

BIRD'S EYE OR GLAZED CARROTS 2 lb. bag **39c**

Peas & Onions 10 oz. **33c**

Scalloped Potatoes 12 1/4 oz. **12c**

Scalloped Apples 12 1/4 oz. **12c**

CORN SOUFFLE 12 oz. **55c**

Chili Pie Reg. 59c **25c**

PRICES SLASHED! WHITE SALE!

"NO IRON"

SHEETS



FANCY AND STRIPE

2nd SELECTION IRREGULARITIES

ARE SLIGHT AND STILL NOT AFFECT WEAR

INCLUDES CURRENT PATTERNS!

TWIN AND FULL SIZE

FITTED AND FLAT

PILLOW CASES "NO IRON" 42x36" Pr. **1.37**

25% OFF

REGULAR PRICE ON ALL ROLL

FILM

DEVELOPING

DOES NOT APPLY TO c-110 KODACOLOR FILM

20 GALLON GALVANIZED CAN

GARBAGE CAN

WITH LID

2.29

REGULAR 2.97

ALKA SELTZER

TABLETS

BOX OF 36's **77c**

MGFRS. 1.25

77c

KODACOLOR CX126-12 EXP

FILM MGFR'S 1.40 **89c**

SYLVANIA

FLASH CUBES

PKG. OF 3's MGFRS. 1.79 **77c**

HEAVY TERRY AND VELOUR

BATH TOWELS

22"x44"

MADE OF 100% ABSORBENT COTTON IN PRINTS STRIPES

AND JACQUARDS 2.49 VALUE IF PERFECT

99c

PRINTS, SOLIDS, STRIPES, OUR REG. 47

HEAVY TERRY & VELOUR WASH CLOTH

POLYESTER FIBER FILLED

BED PILLOW

FLORAL PRINT TICKING NON-ALLERGIC REL DREAMY, SOFT, AND COMFORTABLE

OUR REGULAR 99c

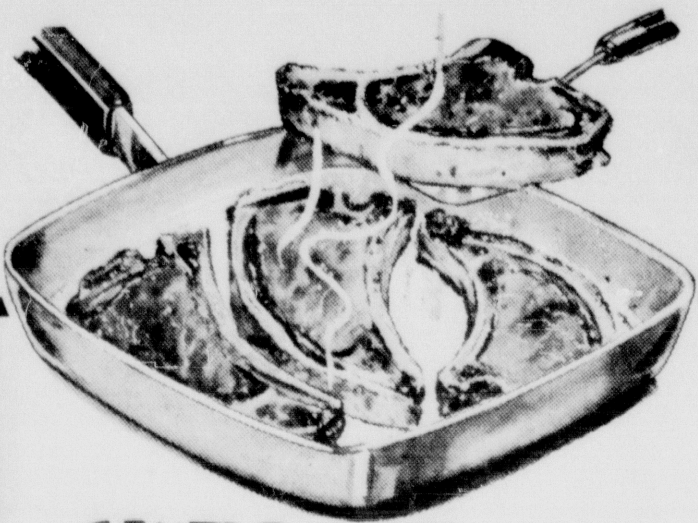
77c

GIANT

TV TRAYS

Reg. \$1.29

77c



CENTER CUT
Pork Chops
POUND... **89¢**

RATH ALL MEAT
BOLOGNA OR LUNCH MEAT
LB. **79¢**

SEVEN
STEAK
LB. **85¢**

RUMP
ROAST
LB. **98¢**

SALT
PORK
LB. **59¢**

Sugar
5.16 BAG... **63¢**

LIMIT 1 W/ \$5.00 PURCH.
OR MORE!

CONTADINA
Tomato **SAUCE** 8 **1.19**
8oz. CAN...

KLEENEX
Dinner **NAPKINS** 3 **87¢**
50CT. PKG.

BORDEN'S
Egg Nog
QT. CTN... **59¢**

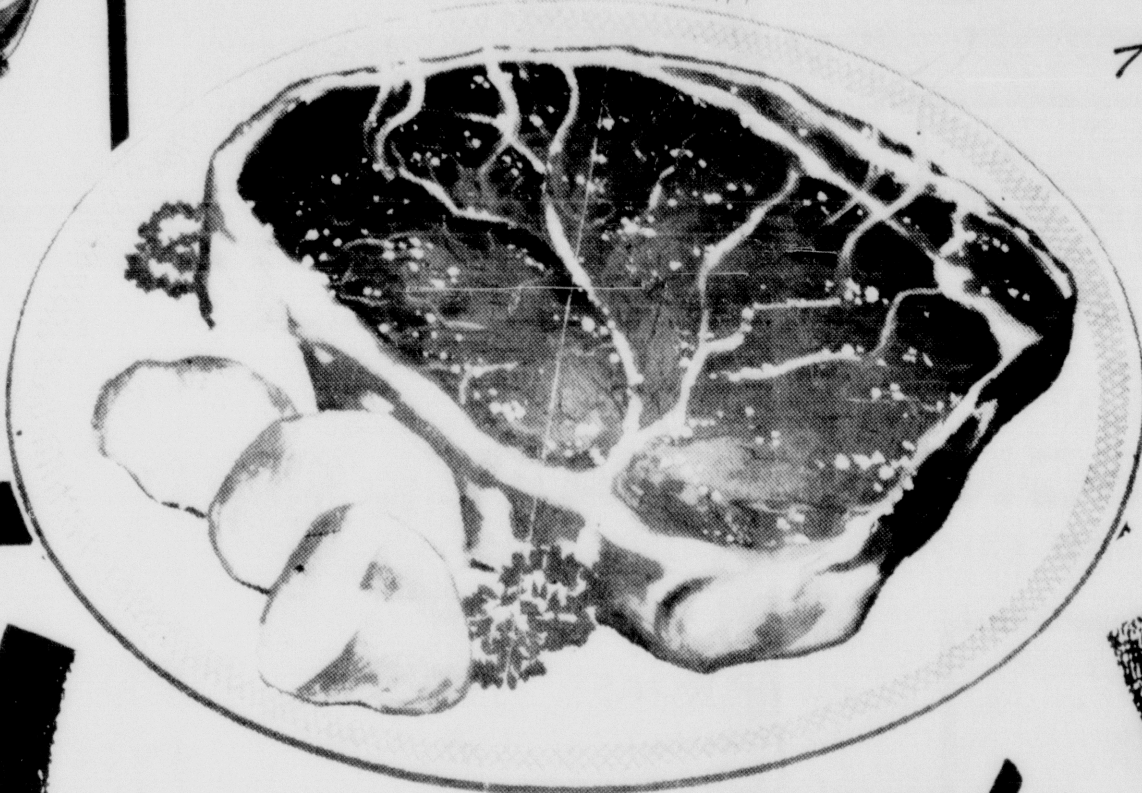
AUGE'S
Pure **LARD** **49¢**
3.165.

SPIC & SPAN **89¢**
GNT. SIZE

WE WISH
YOU...

NEW YEAR GREETINGS

TO ALL OUR LOYAL CUSTOMERS!
the Nesters



TOP
Round Steak
POUND **\$1.19**

SHOULDER ROUND
ROAST LB. **89¢**
RATH ALL MEAT
FRANKS LB. **79¢**
RIB CUT
CLUB STEAK LB. **1.19**
SIRLOIN
STEAK LB. **1.19**
NESTERS LINK
SAUSAGE LB. **95¢**
FRESH
FRYERS LB. **33¢** CUT UP **35¢**
HORMEL MKT. SUCED
BACON LB. **98¢**

Frozen Foods.

WEST-PAC
Blackeye **PEAS** 20oz. **49¢**
STAR LITE
Breaded **SHRIMP** 8oz. **79¢**
BORDEN'S
ICE CREAM 1/2 Gal. **79¢**

TROPHY
Strawberries
100z. PKG. **29¢**

Nesters
SUPER MARKET
426-2241

OCEAN SPRAY
Cranberry **JUICE** 98oz. **89¢**

MARYLAND CLUB
COFFEE 2.16 **1.35**

TEXSUN ORANGE OR GRAPE FRUIT
JUICE 46oz. **49¢**

RANCH STYLE
Blackeye **PEAS** 2 **37¢**
NO. 300 CAN...

HUNTS
PORK & BEANS 3 **89¢**
#2 1/2 CAN...

GREEN BEAUTY
Hamburger **DILL CHIPS** 22oz. **95¢**

PACE
Picante **SAUCE** 8oz. **35¢**

CAMPBELL'S
Tomato **SOUP** 2 **29¢**
NO. 1 CAN...

PANTRY DRY
Blackeye **PEAS** LB. **29¢**

DREAM
WHIP 8oz. **89¢**

HI-VI
DOG FOOD 26oz. **5.19**

DIAMOND
FOIL 25 FT. **25¢**

TOM SCOTT
Mixed **NUTS** 13oz. **65¢**

WE RESERVE THE
RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

SUNSHINE
CRACKERS LB. **41¢**

SUNBEAM
Cinnamon **ROLLS** PKG. **31¢**

RUFFLES... REG. 69¢ OR K.S. FRITOS...
FRITO-LAY REG. 65¢ NOW... **59¢**

BORDEN'S DIP OR SOUR
CREAM 2 **79¢**
CTN...

FALSTAFF, PEARL, LONE STAR, OR VAX
BEER 12 **1.19**
THROW AWAY WARM

VERGEN'S
LOTION 15oz. **99¢**

VICK'S FORMULA 44
Cough **SYRUP** REG. 1.19 **1.19**

PEPTO
BISMOL 8oz. **89¢**

PRICES GOOD FOR
DEC. 27-28-29-30 & JAN. 2
CLOSED NEW YEARS JAN. 1

TOP QUALITY PRODUCE

DELICIOUS
APPLES LB. **25¢**

CALIFORNIA
ORANGES LB. **19¢**

LOUISIANA
GOLDEN YAMS LB. **19¢**

FRESH
POTATOES 8.16 BAG. **65¢**

LARGE
Avocados
EACH **25¢**